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requisitioned liner Canberra.

The high command also confirmed British troops have landed in force on east Falkland

Island and established a secure bridgehead.

communiques and press reports bave tried to

play down its importance, saying only 400

men were on some 500 meters (yards) of

beach, surrounded by soaring eliffs, and cut off from their supplies, suffering the rigors of

Bot late Monday night the Argentines con-

By the evening, communique number 86

revealed that the bridgehead of 2,000 men

was being reinforced despite heavy attacks

against landing and support vessels.

Although the tone was not pessimistic, it represented a change in official military com-

Fahd attends

RIYADH, May 25 (SPA) - Crown Prince

Fahd attended a function held here Tuesday

by the secretariat general of the Gulf Coop-

eration Council to mark the first anniversary

In a statement, Prince Fahd wished the

council every success and progress. He reit-

erated that "this progress and advancement

stems from the keenness and resolve of the

leaders of the Gulf states to push this great

organization to further (progress)." The

crown prince also reaffirmed that the coun-

cil's objective is to achieve welfare and pros-

Welcoming the crown prince, GCC Secret-ary General Abdullah Bishara said the GCC

was formed this day last year to realize coor-

dination, cooperation and integration for the

sake of unity. He said the council's activity is

not confined to specific fields but deals with

everything from economie integration to

political coordination and conformity in sec-

perity for the Arab and Islamic nation.

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Since the British landing Friday, official

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Everybody is keen to see the Gulf living in peace, away from international rivalries, Crown Prince Fahd tells the weekly session of the Council of Ministers. The Gulf situation and the severance of relations with Zaire dominate the deliberations. Page 2.

Dialogue on Jerusalem Arab League Secretary General Habib Chatti has said that Israel should not be allowed to tamper with the heritage of occupied Jerusalem and Muslim-Christian dialogue on the issue has made good progress. - Page 4.

Gandhi party gains
Despite poll setbacks and angry controversies, Indian Prime Minister Indira Gandhi's Congress Party manages to take over the leadership of three of the four states that elected new legislatures last week. — Page 9.

EEC budget accord
Britain won a reduction in its 1982 payments to the European Economic Community budget, but at the cost of a significant climbdown from its original demands. The settlement removes a source of argument and acrimony which bas disrupted the community for months - Page 11

Orioles have it easy Gary Roenicke led the Baltimore Orioles to an easy victory over the Toronto Blue Jays in the American Baseball League, He had three hits - a homer and two runs - as the Orioles surged with a four-run burst in the second. — Page 13.

New Reagan stance U.S. President Ronald Reagan decides to soft-pedal his "adversary relationship" with the Soviet Umon, while Soviet President Leonid Brezhnev expresses his willinguess to meet Reagan - Page 16

U.K. rushing missiles

LONDON, May 25 (Agencies) — Argentine jets raided British warships off the Falkland Islands for the third time in four days and a severely damaged British frigate sank. But Defense Secretary John Nott declared that with a British beachhead established, Argentina's days on the South Atlantic chain

Meanwhile as British forces Tuesday braced for fresh Argentine air attacks, military sources reported that extra anti-aircraft missiles were being rushed out from West

The Defense Ministry said eight Argentine

Other sources said a battery of Blow Pipe anti-aircraft missiles was being transferred from the British Rhine Army stationed with NATO forces in West Germany to bolster air defense for the troops dug in on the Falk-lands. The Defense Ministry confirmed the blow Pipe unit was moving, but declined to go further, citing operational reasons.

Correspondents with the task force said some 5,000 troops were consolidating a bridgehead established around Port San Carlos on east Falkland island and preparing to push forward toward the main Argentine gar-

The loss of Britain's third warship in the battle for the Falklands was brought home vividly in the press Tuesday by a front-page picture of the frigate Antelope exploding in a

frigate were damaged and a Sea Harrier jump jet was downed in air attacks on the British bridgehead in the Falkland islands Monday. were shot down. It did not identify the troop-ship, which it said had been severely dam-

### France security in Beirut

increase security at its embassy in Beirut following a car bomb attack at the mis-

The bomb blast was the latest in a series of attacks against French targets in Lebanon that began with the assassmation of Ambassador Louis Delamare in September last year. Foreign ministry officials in Paris said France would keep its embassy opeo despite the attack, but

The embassy remained closed Tuesday as a mark of respect for the dead and wounded. An embassy spokesman said the bomb exploded in a car driven by a French woman employed in the commercial section just as she turned into the main gate of the extensive, wooded compound that surrounds the building in ceotral Beirut.

The spokesman said he had no idea who might be bebind the attack. He said the explosives could have been placed in the car the night before when it was parked outside the owner's bouse and then detonated by radio as she drove into the

believe there could be direct or indirect Syrian involvement in past attacks launched in Beirut and in France itself. Syria, which has 30,000 troops stationed in Lebanon on peacekeeping duties, is believed to be angered at French policy in Lebanon and President François Mitterrand's moves to improve relations with

sautioned that any number of rival groups in strife-torn Lebanon could have been tesponsible for Mooday's bomb. A previously unknown, apparently nationalist organization calling itself the "Free Nasserite Revolutionaries' claimed responsi-

# to tighten

sion's main gate Monday in which 14 persons were killed and 20 wounded.

added: "We shall increase security measures for the personnel at the embassy.'

embassy.

Io Paris, French officials have said they Israel.

But Western diplomats in Beirut

BEIRUT, May 25 (Agencies) — Iran said its forces routed the last pockets of resistance in the "liberated" port city of Khorramshahr Tuesday giving rise of fears it may cross the international border with Iraq. Meanwhile, Iraq conceded the fall of its last strongbolds in Iran's war-conquered oil province of Khuzis-

The Iraqi admission confirmed Iran's biggest victory in the 20-month-old war on the northern flank of the Gulf, prompting calls from the United States, the European Common Market countries and elsewhere in Asia and Africa for a negotiated settlement of the

A military communique from the high command in Baghdad said Iraqi forces completed their withdrawal from Khorramshahr toward the international border Tuesday

The Iraqi News Agency (INA) in a report monitored in Paris Tuesday said Iraqi forces repulsed an Iranian dawn attack north of Khorramshahr, killing over 2,700 Iranian troops. INA quoted the spokesman as saying the Iraqis launched a counteroffensive which resulted in the destruction of almost the whole Iranian force,"

"A large number of Iranians were killed, wounded, or taken prisoner and most of the Iranians' military equipment was either cap-tured or destroyed," the spokesman added.

"Our forces considered their basic task abroad was to destroy as much of the enemy's fighting machine as possible in order to prevent him from continuing blatant aggressive and expansionist schemes against Iraq," said the Iraqi communique. "The greatest part of this task has been accomplished."

Iraq invaded Khuzistan and Iran's western highlands in the foothills of the Zagros Mountains Sept. 22, 1980, to assert sovereignty claims over disputed border areas and the Sbatt Al-Arab waterway on the Gulf's northern tip. Iran's conquest of Khorramshahr cog ped 2

40-day tide-turning offensive that drove the Iraqis out of Kbuzistan and set the stage for a possible Iranian attack in the west to regain the highlands. They control the shortest highway routes from the Iranian border to Baghdad, Iraq's capital 145 kms southwest of the borderline.

Shortly after the recapture of Khorramsbahr, Iran served a warning on its neighbors in the Gulf to stop their cooperation with the United States.

"I advise the governments of the region that our country is now speaking from a position of strength," said Ayatollah Khomeini in a victory message broadcast by the state-run Tehran radio. "if you give up taking orders from the United States and behave in accordance with Islamic laws, you will see nothing but kindness from us," he said.

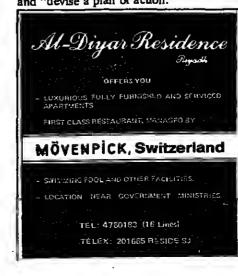
Meanwhile, the Kuwait newspaper Al -Rai Al-Am said Tuesday the Tehran leadership would risk a conflict with the entire Arab world if Iranian forces crossed the border into

"If Iran were prudent, it would stop at the (Iraqi) border, or it would be risking a war with the whole Arab nation ;" the newspaper said in an editorial, noting reports that the Iranians were moving close to the Iraqi bor-

Should the Iranians cross into Iraqi territory, the paper said, the conflict would "transcend the political collision and assume a national, Pan-Arab dimension. The (Arabs) ability to endure defeats has become so narrow that no justification would be feasible for any setback," it said.

The paper claimed that the United States had "planned and precipitated" the Gulf war between Iraq and Iran. It said that "Washington bas been waiting an opportune time to send the (U.S.) Rapid Deployment Force into action (in the Gulf region) under the pretext of protecting Western interests." If the Iranians cross the burder intu Iraq, then Tehran would be consecrating its begemonic ambitions and regional domination tactics," added the paper.

The independent newspaper Al-Anbaa meanwhile said the latest developments in the Gulf war have been the subject of intensive consultations and contacts among Gulf governments. It said these governments were in contact with other Arab League member states with a view to assessing the situation and "devise a plan of action."



#### Iraq withdraws from Khorramshahr Fears rise Iran may cross frontier Citing unidentified sources, the paper said

Council (GCC) would reschedule their planned meeting in Rivadh ahead of May 30 in view of the developments in the 20-monthold war. A Reagan administration source said in Washington Monday the United States is stepping up its efforts to blunt Iran's new military offensive against Iraq for fear that the fall of the Baghdad government will open the way to extensive destabilization

of the strategic Gulf area by the Iran's fiercely anti-American rulers. The source said that new approaches were being made by Washington 10 friendly Islamic states such as Turkey, Pakistan, Algeria, Indonesia and Malaysia, which might be able to slow down the advance of the Iranians. The hope is that these countries can get Iran to the negotiating table after nearly

it was not immediately clear if the foreign

ministers of the six-nation Gulf Cooperation

two years of fighting.
According to one U.S. diplomat, the overthrow of President Saddam Hussein, either as a result of military defeat or internal subversion, would have "unforseeable but certainly serious consequences." The Reagan administration fears the installation of an extremist Islamic regime in Baghdad after the model of the Iranian regime.

"We don't want Khomeini to start exporting bis revolution to countries in the region," a senior State Department official said

#### Iraq dealt serious blow

BEIRUT, May 25 (AFP) - In recapturing the vital port city of Khorramshahr Monday, Iran has dealt Iraq a serious blow in their 20-month long conflict and opened up a new chapter in the complex history of relations in the area, diplomanc observers believe.

Although the Iraqi army still controls a few patches of Iranian territory in the central sector of the front and to the north, they are considered of limited strategie importance.

With the repossession of Khorramshar on the Shatt-Al-Arab waterway, Iran has woo back the oil-rich Khuzestan, a province of vital strategic and economic importance, and left Iraq seriously worried about its future intentions. Observers are apparently concerned that Iran will not stop at the recovery of its territory from Iraqi hands but may push on across the border.

Some observers, however, are ruling out an Iranian invasion of Iraq in their belief that the Iraqi mibtary machine, despite recent losses, has not been seriously weakened. Since the beginning of Iran's offensive last month, the Iraqi army appears to have been engaged in orderly retreats under the cover of small protective units which have done most of the fighting, observers noted.

#### Egypt discounts help to Iraqis

HELWAN, Egypt, May 25 (AP) — President Hosni Mubarak said Tuesday he hoped the Iran-Iraq war would be settled peacefully and that he had no plans to send Egyptian troops to Iraq's aid.

We hope this war will come to and end and not violate any borders, either from Iran nr frnm Iraq," Mubarak told a CBS news reporter during a tour of the steel mill in the southern Cairo suburb of Helwan.

He was asked whether Egypt would revise its position if Iraqi President Saddam Hussein, who was quoted in an interview as saying he would welcome Egyptian troops, became desperate. "This will be estimated in time." Mubarak said.

He said he had "no intention" to send Iraq more than light arms or ammunition already supplied. "To send armed forces anywhere in the world should be very carefully studied."
Mubarak said. "We have no decision to send any soldiers outside our country and we have not a single soldier outside of our borders



### Argentine raids on ships continue aged. The official news agency Telam had earlier quoted a highly-placed military source as saying the vessel might have been the

'are numbered."

aircraft were shot down in fierce battles Monday and seven the day before. Despite the reported losses, defense sources said further raids were expected later Tuesday to coincide with oational day celebrations in

rison in the capital Port Stanley.

In Buenos Aires, the Argentine high command said Tuesday a British troopship and a A communique said two Argentine planes

Thatcher rules out ceasefire

LONDON, May 25 (R) — Britain's Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher Tuesday ruled out any imminent ceasefire in the Falklands conflict. "There can be no ceasefire without full withdrawal of Argentine troops," Mrs. Thatcher declared in her first appearance before Parliament since the British task force landed to set up a beachhead on the Falkland

Islands last Friday. Mrs. Thatcher said the object was to retake the South Atlantic colony and restore British administration. Pressed by the opposition Labor Party to keep open the door to negotiations to settle the long-running dispute over sovereignty of the islands, Mrs. Thatcher responded firmly: "There can be no progress

without Argentine withdrawal." In Washingtoo, Senate Repoblican leader Howard Baker said U.S. Secretary of State Alexander Haig bad indicated to Congressmen that there had been great military activity in the Falklands in the last few hours and

there could be a result before very long. Neither Mrs. Thatcher or Defense Minister John Nott gave any hint of large-scale actioo going on when they spoke in the House of

Argentina has asked for a ministerial meeting of inter-American defense treaty members in Washington on Thursday to discuss the Falklands conflict.

The text of the formal request recalled that the treaty aims were to maintain peace in the region and to help member countries face aggression. "In view of the extreme gravity of the situation, the Argentine government deems it occessary that (the council) should consider additional steps," the ministry said.

Meanwhile, the United Nations Security Council Tuesday resumed its debate on the Falklands to discuss Ireland's proposal for a 72-hour ceasefire and a resumption of U.N. Secretary General Javier Perez de Cuellar's mediation efforts. Sources here said Argentine Foreign Minister Nicanor Costa Meodez was expected to address the council.

Japan, meanwhile, has circulated a proposal in the Security Council to renew Perez de Cuellar's good offices to end the Falklands

fighting and find a diplomatic settlement. The move countered a draft resolution tabled Monday night by Ireland. Perez de Quellar's efforts ended in stalemate last Thursday after Britain and Argentina har-



2 Syrian jets hit in dogfight

BEIRUT, May 25 (AP) — Syrian and
Israeli jets clashed in an air battle over Lebabospital in the neighboring town of Ashkout.

oon Tuesday, and a Syrian military spokesman said two Syrian warplanes were hit. Israel said two Syrian MiGs were shot down in the dogfight. Lebanese government sources said one Syrian aircraft crashed in the Mount Lebanon region north of Beirut.

The Syrian spokesman, quoted by the official Damascus Radio, said in a communique issued in the Syrian capital that the Syrian jets engaged Israeli warplanes in Lebanese air space and "two of our planes were hit" in the ensuing doglight.

Lebanese government sources in Beirut said the pilot of one downed Syrian plane bailed our safely in the vicinity of the moun-

Andropov heads race at Kremlin MOSCOW, May 25 (R) - Yuri Andropov, head of the KGB security police, bas emerged as a powerful contender to suc-

Andropov, 67, was appointed a secretary of the Communist Party at a special session nf the central committee Mooday which had been called to hear proposals to deal with the country's chronic food shortages.

Western diplomats said the move indicated

ceed Soviet leader Leonid Brezhnev after

taking over a key party post in the Kremlin

strong backing in the upper circle of the party for Andropov to move into the leadership when Brezhnev, 75, retires or dies. It also appeared to be a major serback for Konstantin Chemenko, 70, a close aide of the Soviet leader, they said.

Western analysis believe Brezhnev has been grooming his long-time friend for the succession and over the past few months Chemenko's public appearances suggested

he was already the effective number two in the Kremlin power structure. But while Chernenko's main strength has been the patranage of the Soviet leader. Andropov long stood out as a potential party chief because of his years of experience in party matters and toreign affairs.

tain resort town of Qaiaat and was taken to a

bospital in the neighboring town of Ashkout.

The two towns are about 20 kms oorth and

northeast of Beirut and about 50 kms west of

the Syrian border in Lebanon's Keserwan

Qaiaat and Keserwan are controlled by the

Lebanese forces, the Christian militia domi-

nated by the rightist Phalange Party, in the

Christiao populated areas of Lebanoo oorth

The Phalangists' "Voice of Lebanon"

radio station said Syrian jets scrambled when

Israeli warplanes flew over eastern Leba-

non's Bekaa Valley where Syria statiooed

surface-to-air Sam-6 missiles in April 1981.

and oortheast of Beirut.

But Andropov's job as KCB chief, which be took over in 1967, was always viewed as serious bandicap to his leadership chances. Western analysts said he was likely to drop that post soon to coocentrate on his work as a party secretary and member of the 13-man Politburo, at the same time building upa more acceptable image for the nutside world.

There are now nine members of the secretariat, which cootrols the day-to-day running of the party and is a vital center of power. Andropov and Chernenko are two of only four members of the party leadership to combine posts in both bodies.



confident of ourselves and our capabilities

and our right course toward the realization of

common goals under the sagacious policy of

the leaders of the member states." He added

that cooperation demonstrated during this

short span of time ought to be considered an

example for the realization of the cherished

solidarity at the Arab and Islamic levels. All

events now taking place give an indication

that "our goals can be achieved and causes

defended only through a sincere and hones

solidarity whose effectiveness the GCC has

proved by coordinating efforts and stances

among member states.

#### At cabinet meeting

### Gulf peace stressed

RIYADH, May 25 (SPA) — Crown Prince Fahd Monday evening reaffirmed "everybody's keenness to see the Gulf living in peace, away from international rivalries, for the welfare and prosperity of its nationals."

The crown prince chaired a three-hour weekly meeting of the Council of Ministers which, Information Minister Dr. Yamani said, was devoted to the prevailing situation in the Arabian Gulf; Arab-African relations and the Kingdom's decision to sever diplomatic relatioos with Zaire which restored ties with Israel. He added that the meeting's ageoda had been proposed by Kiog Khaled.

On Zaire's decision, Prince Fahd said Saudi Arabia's relations with African states rest on fraternity, mutual understanding and cooperation. Moreover, Arab states have been standing for a long time by the Africao countries' side in their just causes. It was because Zaire had resumed diplomatic relaoccupied Jerusalem that Saudi Arabia cut off its ties with Zaire. Such a decision on the part of Zaire, the prince went on, rao counter to the resolutions of the Organization of African Unity (OAU) as well as those of the Arab-African summit held in Cairo, March 7, Saudi Arabia's move agaiost Zaire, Prince

tions with the Zionist enemy and expressed

its determination to open ao embassy in

Fahd said, was prompted by the Kingdom's belief in the righteousness and justice of the Arab cause, same as it upholds the inalienable rights of the Palestinian people over their soil and homeland. The Kingdom is convinced that colooialism and racial discrimination in all their forms must be fought the prince said. "But Saudi Arabia and other Arab states are keen on maintaining their relations with the African states oo the basis of mutual and positive cooperation and understanding," he concluded.

#### NADC plans 4 large farms

RIYADH, May 25 (SPA) — Four large agricultural projects will be established by the National Agricultural Development Company (NADC) in several parts of the Kiogdom to produce wheat and fodder, officials announced Tuesday.

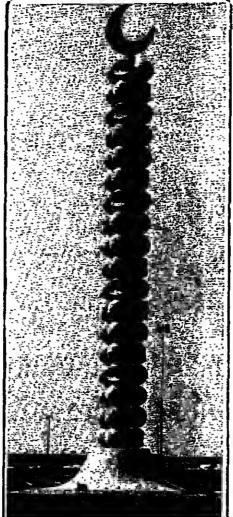
The projects were approved by NADC's board of directors as a plan proposed by Muhammad Abdullah Abu Butain, the company's director general. They will be located in Hail, Qasim and Wadi Al-Dawassir on land allocated to NADC.

The company was established last year with an initial capital of SR400 million. The state holds 20 percent of the equity while the remaining was floated for public subscription. It aims at boosting the pace of agricul-

tural development in the country through large and organized projects along the lines of the state's self-sufficiency plan in agricul-

Ahu Butain's proposals also included expanding the Hardh project which was the starting point for the company and drilling enough wells is and supplying modern agricultural machinery and implements for the four proposed projects.

NAD's board, which met under Agricul-ture and Water Minister Dr. Abdul Rahman Al-Sheikh recently, also reviewed a plan for the companys poultry farm project in Hail. Already approved, the project will have an annual capacity of eight million chickens.



(Photo by Muhammad Naul)

ISLAMIC: This studded monument with the crescent holding its head high is yet another landmark to adorn Jeddah's Corniche. It comes along the lines of Islamic architectural revival currently marking the "Bride of the Red Sea."

#### First anniversary marked

RIYADH, May 25 (SPA) - Interior Minister Prince Naif has declared that the draft for a comprehensive security treaty among the member states of the Gulf Cooperation Council will be placed before the second GCC interior ministers' conference to be held late October.

In a statement published by Al-Rivadh Tuesday to mark the council's first anniversary, Prince Naif said the decisioo to establish the council demonstrated the conscious will and determination of member states. He added that it is a historic and responsible step aimed at fioding a formula in conformity with the nature of special relations existing among the peoples of the region and also with regional and international situations.

On the other hand, Foreign Minister Prince Saud Al-Faisal said in a similar statement that the council's achievement in one year has been distinct in promoting cooperatioo amoog Arab Gulf states. Since its establishment. Prince Saud said, the council had made ecocomic integration the focal point. He added that many things have been achieved in this sphere and member states continue to realize further cooperation. They have not ignored, for one moment, their

#### Cheysson to visit

PARIS, May 25 (AFP) - Freoch-External Relations Minister Claude Cheysson will visit Saudi Arabia Saturday and Sunday (May 29 and 30), it was announced here Tuesday.

A ministry spokesman gave oo further details on the visit which will be just a week after Pierre Beregovoy, secretary-general of the Elysee Presidential Palace, returned from Kuwait. President Francois Mitterrand visited Sandi Arabia in September, for his first visit abroad after becoming president last

sense of belonging to the great Arab and Islamic entity, he said.

The foreign minister commended the couocil's ability to become a powerful element in resisting attempts of the major powers to find centers of influence in the region.

In another statement, Sheikh Muhammad Aba Al-Khail, minister of finance and ostional economy, praised GCC member states' concern for Gulf economic cooperation, and highlighted the significance of the uoified economic treaty. He said GCC ministers of finance and economy will determine the final date for the implementation of the treaty's articles during a forthcoming meeting in Riyadh.

Meanwhile, Information Minister Dr. Muhammad Abdo Yamani described the GCC as a "bright feature expressing the resolve of the region's leadership and peoples to continue oo the path of positive and fruit-ful cooperation." He referred to King Khaled's great concern for Gulf cooperation and Crown Prince Fahd's pursuance of the council's activities and achievements and his cootinuing support for any step taken within the framework of Gulf cooperation. Vamani said the first anniversary of the

The minister reiterated that the GCC has not been formed against anyone; its first and last aim is to achieve the interests of member states and to serve their peoples within the Arab and Islamic framework. He said the couocil's cooperation has been capped by the unified economic treaty that will streamline the cooperation of the member states in all security fields. He reaffirmed that leaders and peoples of member states are determined to go ahead with their policy formed through the council, and hoped that they will be able to realize further cooperation and coordina-

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Maghreb (Sunset)	6:57	7:04	6:36	6:26	6:50	7:24
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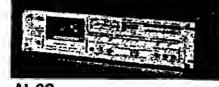
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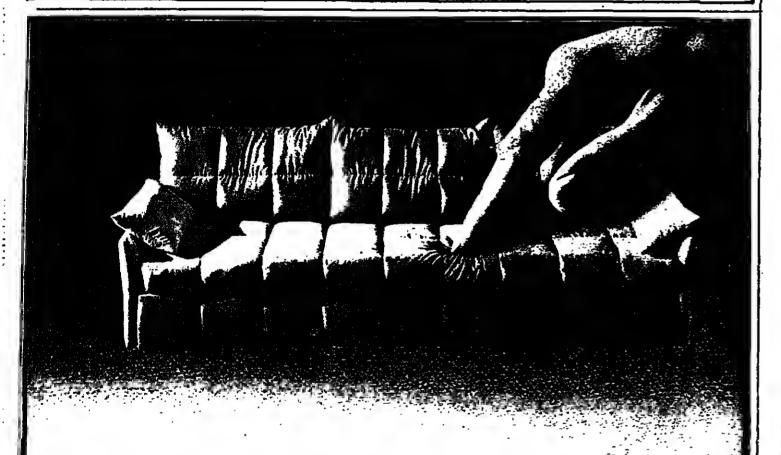


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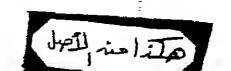


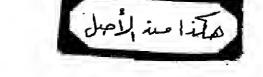
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#### King praises Algosaibi

RIYADH, May 25 (SPA) — King Khaled has expressed appreciation of the efforts being exerted by Industry and Electricity Minister Dr. Ghazi Algosaibi and his ministry officials to promote industry in the Kingdom.

The royal pleasure was expressed in a letter to Dr. Algosaibi, after receiving the annual industrial report for 1980, published by the ministry of industry and elec-

The report, which was earlier submitted to the King by the minister, contained comprehensive information on the position of industry in the Kingdom and the number of actually productive industries till that year. It also consisted of the number of licenses granted for projects under implementation and others which are yet to be undertaken, along with the overall financing and allocations for different regions.

#### SR20m allocated for relief in Oatif

QATIF, May 25 (SPA) -- The Social Security Bureau of Qatif was allocated a budget of SR20 million in the current fiscal year, for disbursement among 17,500 poor families in the town and rural areas under its jurisdic-

Bureau's Director Mutlaq Al-Otaibi stated Tuesday that the bureau will start paying security pensions for the first six months of the current lunar calendar from Saturday. In addition, it will study more than 200 new cases to determine their entitlement to such pensions, he added,

On the other hand, nearly SR68 million were allocated for the same purpose in Ahsa district, in addition to some other cash assistance to the families of sick people, prison inmates, calamity-stricken people and the

#### IDB gives \$20m loan

ISTANBUL, May 25 (SPA) — The Islamic Development Bank (IDB) granted a \$20 million loan to Morocco to finance the purchase of raw sugar. The loan agreement was signed here by IDB President Dr. Ahmad Muhammad Ali and Secretary General of the Moroccan Finance Minister Al-Hassan Logas.

#### Samba to display

JEDDAH, May 25 - The Saudi American Bank will demonstrate its Samba-link client electronic banking services at a function to be held at the Hyatt Regency Hotel here June 6, the bank announced Tuesday.

It said this is the most modern electronic data techniques to banking. It is a system that will allow financial staff access to a wide variJEDDAH, May 25 - Commerce Minister

Dr. Soliman A. Solaim chaired a meeting of undersecretaries Sunday to review the achievements in regard to development of the directorate general for consumer protec-tion and quality control laboratories. Dr. Khaled Al-Khalaf, director of Saudi

Arabian Standards Organization (SASO), and Saleh Rashid Al-Owain, director of the department of consumer protection, also attended the meeting, which discussed a special report submitted by the Midwest Research Institute of Kansas

The evening issue of Al-Jazirah quoted Owain as saying that his department is a ctive in several fields, as it inspects foodstuffs before allowing them in. Its officials inspect supermarkets, warehouses and other commercial establishments to ensure the validity of the merchandise. Another team inspects petrol pumps and jewlery shops and also check the various kinds of weighing machines

ruary. "The program is designed around the

new ACM, two-year business programming curriculum and is tailored to the needs of

Saudi government and business organiza-

"The ADS institute represents a major

tions, a statement by the company claims.

step in the transfer of computer technology

into the Kingdom", said Dr. Sami Zaiddan,

the company's chairman. "We are preparing

Sandi nationals to become computing profes-

sionals. While most of today's educational

programs emphasize the theoretical and

academic said, we expect students graduating

from the ADS institute to be immediately

according to the top priority given to tech-

nology transfer by Sandi Arabia, the state-

ment said. "As the number of computer

installations in the Kingdom rose dramati-

cally over the past few years, there is now a

severe shortage of trained native computing

ADS, for example, began offering computer services in 1978 and now has over 150

professionals drawn mostly from outside

countries. Zaiddan Says this problem is being

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productive," he adds.

personnel," it said.

#### Saudi computer firm trains in U.S.

to protect consumers from any possible

specification laboratories are already func-

Halat Ammar, while plans are afoot to set up

similar labs in Jizan, Jubail and Yanbu. With such services available, a total of 15,000

foodstuff samples are inspected besides a

check on weighing machines, petrol pumps.

Meanwhile, the consumer protection

laboratories have been equipped with sophis-

ticated instruments to analyze consumer

goods and ensure the quality of gold and silver works. Officials of these laboratories

are highly trained in chemical and micros-

According to a cooperation agreement

signed between the Kingdom and the United Sates under the Saudi-U.S. Joint Commis-

sion, a plan has been prepared to develop the

standards and jewelry, he added.

Owaini said quality test and standards

oning in Riyadh. Jeddah, Dammam and

fraud, he added.

JEDDAH, May 25 — A Saudi Arabian faced by computer installations across the computer services company has recently Kingdom. opened a computer training institute in St. Eckerd College was chosen as the site of Peterburg, Florida. the institute because of its long standing Arabian Data Systems (ADS), Saudicommitment to international education. owned, based and managed, took the initia-Eckerd draws students from over 40 different tive in cooperation with Eckerd College. An nations and operates the Eckerd London intensive 42-week pilot course began in Feb-

#### Center in Great Britain. **Ro-Ro** line opens to link Australia, Gulf

JEDDAH, May 25 (AP) - Australian and New Zealand trade links to the Gulf region were boosted Tuesday with the announcement of a new roll-on, roll-off (Ro-Ro) ship-

A spokesman for Barber Lines Arabian Navigation and Shipping Co., a Saudi-owned agency, said the first Ro-Ro vessel began loading in Australia and New Zealand during the middle of March and sailed April 15, arriving in Dubai April 26.

Until now trade has suffered because of a lack of suitable vessels to handle this type of cargo which meant "that prior to this service an importer had to make purchases from elsewhere," the spokesman said.

Ulf Slotvik, marketing manager for the shipping agency, said the new service is an offshoot of a former line which had a vessel leave Australia/New Zealand and travel up the Red Sea to Europe.

The new service routing has the vessel leave Australia/New Zealand, port at Dubai and then continue up the Red Sea to Jeddah. At Dubai the vessel loads onto other ships which forward the cargo to Dammam.

Slotvik said: "We have already found, since beginning the operations, that there is a great demand for ships to carry other than containerized cargo from Australia. This specifically is odd cargo that cannot be coutainerized, such as heavy material and large

#### Consumer protection efforts to be boosted services being rendered by the consumer protection department. In this connection, a team of experts and specialists came here

counterparts in developing the technical potentials for consumer protection. Some Saudi graduates are being trained in the U.S. and Europe in a number of technical

from the Kansas institute to help their Saudi

#### Wheat output rises

GENEVA, May 25 (SPA) — Agriculture and Water Minister Dr. Abdul Rahman Al-Sheikh has said Saudi Arabia's wheat production reached a remarkable figure of 400,000 tons this year compared to only 30,000 tons four years ago.

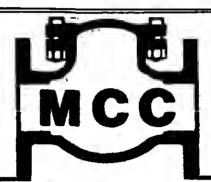
Addressing the second international conference on "Food and Energy" here Monday night, he said the Kingdom had extended generous aid and other assistance to the farmers to develop agriculture. He added that the government had set up a large number of dams and irrigation projects with the aim of achieving self-sufficiency in foodgrains.



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### Security installation show organized

JEDDAH, May 25 - The Riyadh-hased Arab Security Studies and Training Center will organize a security installation exhibition next month, officials announced Tues-

day.

Dr. Farouk Murad, the center's director. told Al -Rivadh that the exhibition includes a contest to which engineering offices and engineers have been invited. The contest calls for designing security installations, like prisons, reform centers, police stations and civil

Murad said a nominal prize of \$10,000 has heen allocated for the winning design. The standards of judgment will be idealist, he added. Aspects of evaluating designs include limited expenses, unique characters, confir-mity with the Islamic architectural features and originality.

"We don't demands a comprehensive design for a specific purpose. Rather a general idea and provisional design with minia-tures, Murad said. The judgment committee will comprise leading architects, especially deans of engineering faculties.

The exhibition aims at displaying the designs and miniatures for security authorities in the Arab world. "We hope the exhibition will open new prospects and guide toward modern aspects to meet the require-

ments of security installations," he added. The center, less than two years old, will have organized five seminars, five shorttraining courses and three medium-training courses by the end of 1982. It had already conducted five field researches relating to the

Arab world, Murad said. Last weekend, the center graduated 26 trainees from various Arab countries after an advanced four-week session. It was the third

medium-training course. The center is currently preparing for a seminar entitled: "The suspect and his rights in the Islamic Sharia."

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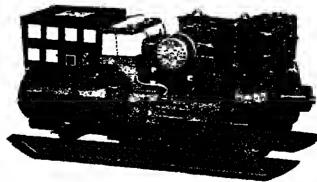
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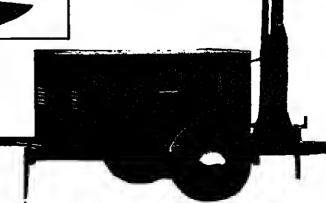
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### N. Yemen rejects pacts outside Arab League

KUWAIT, May 25 (AP) - North Yemen categorically rejects any alliances outside the framework of the Arab League, the North Yemeni prime minister was quoted Tuesday as saying.

Abdul-Karim Al-Iryani told Al-Watan that his country "never sought to become a member of the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC)," a regional economic integration and collective defense pact. The GCC includes Saudi Arabia, the United Arab Emirates, Kuwait, Bahtain, Oatar and Oman.

The inception of the GCC last summer was criticized by Iraq, which called at the time for consolidating the Arab League rather than create exclusive clubs within or outside it. "There are no problems between North

#### Forged dollar bills land merchant in jail

LARNACA, Cyprus, May 25 (AP) — A Moroccan merchant was jailed for three years bere Tuesday for having \$29,000 in forged bills in his possession.

Prosecution testimony said Abdulrafik Muhammad Sliman, 35, a merchant of 38 Yacoub El Mansour Street, Casablanca, was arrested April 4 at Larnaca airport as he was about to board a plane for Beirut. He was carrying the forged dollar bills in his pockets.

The prosecution said the police were tipped off after the local hotel where Sliman had spent a few days reported he paid his \$300 account with forged bills. Sliman said he had been asked to carry the money by a business associate in Beirut and did not know the bills

#### Goukouni returns after Libya talks

N'DJAMENA. May 25 (AP) - The president of Chad. Goukouni Oueddei, returned here from Libva Monday after talks with the general commander of the Libyan armed

The official Libyan news agency Jana gave no details of the one-day official visit but quoted the president as saying Sunday the political and military situation in Chad was grave. Until late last year, Libya had troops stationed in Chad to support President Goukouni in a long-running civil war against

**Keep Jerusalem's heritage--Chatti** ISTANBUL, May 25 (AP) - Habib Chatti, secretary general of the Arab League, said here Monday every stone of occupied Jerusalem "must be preserved as part of the

common heritage of three world religions." Every stone must be conserved as it is, all inhabitants must remain there and it must not become a city of Zionists". he said. Chatti, who is attending the annual governors' meetsaid Al-Iryani. "North Yemen prefers to deal with the Arab countries within the framework of the Arab League Charter."

He welcomed the Kuwaiti and U.A.E. mediation efforts to patch up differences between the Sultanate of Oman and South Yemen. Al-Iryani denied that his country was playing any role in that mediation. He also said that the leaders of North Yemen and South Yemen were to bold meetings in the near future to discuss merging the two coun-

tries into one. Al-Iryani exhorted the Arab states to end their disunity, resume normal ties with boycotted countries in the Arab world and discontinue information media warfare between them. In this connection, he contended, any unilateral action by any Arah state to resume relations with Egypt would deepen

Arab disunity. "Any decision that alters or negates the Arab summit resolution to boycott Egypt should be taken only by another Arab summit conference," he insisted. North Yemen and most Arab League member countries broke off all ties with Egypt three years ago on account of the U.S.-arranged Camp David

peace process between Egypt and Israel. Commenting on North Yemen's relations with the Soviet Union. Al-Iryani said "Ties are at a high level, especially in the wake of the recent visit to Moscow by President Ali Abdullah Saleh." He denied reports that his country's relations with Moscow have been strained and that North Yemen has recalled its ambassador to Moscow in protest against Soviet aid to South Yemeni-backed insurgents in central North Yemen.

#### the forces of former Defense Minister His-

sene Hahre. Libyan intervention in the African country was widely crincized and Goukouni asked for

Libyan troops to be withdrawn last year. A Pan-American peacekeeping force replaced them but it appears to have made little headway in restoring order to the country, which has been torn by civil war for more than 15 years. Recent reports have indicated that the Habre forces have been making advances from their strongholds,

are making progress but that occupied

Jerusalem's unique character should not be

allowed to disintegrate in the meantime. The

city is sacred to Muslims, Christians and Jews

- all religions which have a common back-

ground, "Israel must not be allowed to

change occupied Jerusalem's face."

The two states expressed great satisfaction lng of the Islamic Development Bank (IDB), said plans for a Muslim-Christian dialogue

reaffirmed that the security of the Gulf was

### Weinberger rejects Begin charge

DETROIT, May 25 (Agencies) — Secretary of Defense Caspar Weinberger has rejected Israeli criticism of him, saying the United States was dedicated to Israel's survival and beloing it maintain military supperiority over Arabs.

He was responding to Israeli Prime Minister Menahem Begin's reported statement Sunday that Weinberger paid lip-service to Israel's security while endangering it by proposals to arm Jordan with sophisticated weapons. "We pay a great deal more than lipservice to our unswerving commitment to

Israel," Weinberger told a press conference. He also reiterated U.S. support for friendly Arab states, including Jordan, and the idea of having those states receive American military aid. "We believe that one of the ways that that (the U.S. commitment to Israel) can be best fulfilled is to bave a network of other friendships in the Mideast," be said.

In Tel Aviv, Israeli officials said Mondav President Reagan had officially invited Begin

#### to lunch at the White House June 21. Pakistan, PLO urge steps to deter Israel

ISLAMABAD, May 25 (SPA) - Pakistan and the Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO) have pledged to spare no efforts to bring about an early end to the Iraq-Iran war

which they described as "tragic."

A joint communique issed here Monday night at the end of a day's visit to Pakistan by PLO Chairman Yasser Arafat drew the attention of the world community to the need for "effective international steps to deter Israel from pursuing its aggressive and expansionist policies...

The communique pointed out that the Israeli policies on the occupied Arab territories posed a "most serious threat to world peace." It described the Israeli occupation of Jerusalem as an affront to the Islamic nation, and called on all Islamic states to intensify their efforts for the liberation of the Holy City and Palestinian and all other occupied Arab territories.

at the state of their bilateral relations and agreed on further measures to strengthen their mutual cooperation.

The two sides reaffirmed the view that the Middle East problem could be resolved only through a settlement guaranteeing the "inalienable rights" of the Palestinians. They reviewed the security situation in this area and the Indian Ocean and Gulf region, and the exclusive concern of the littoral states.

### secretary appeals to end

ADDIS ABABA, May 25 (R) — The secretary-general of the Organization of African Unity (OAU) appealed to member states Monday to end what he called their fratricidal strife, an apparent reference to a row over the admission of the Polisario Front.

Edem Kodjo, who took the controversial decision to admit the Saharan Arab Democratic Republic (SADR) which the front has proclaimed, said on the eve of the OAU's 19th anniversary that quarrels would only weaken the Pan-African body. He urged member states "to realize that African unity goes beyond our internal quarrels and our inevitable divergencies and contradictions, which are inrent in all human societies."

His statement released by OAU headquarters here, said that Africa's "fratricidal strife and conflicts can only weaken it to the satisfaction of those who want to remain the masters of the world."

The admission of the Polisario, which is fighting Moroccan control of Western Sahara, has plunged the Pan-African body into its worst crisis since its foundation in May

Kenyan President Daniel Arap Moi, current OAU chairmanl has said that the OAU is drifting apart because of the row and has appealed to member states to put the OAU's

#### Karmal regime, Mujahedeen swap prisoner

PESHAWAR, May 25 (R) - Karmal regime authorities and anti-government rebels have made the first reported formal prisoner exchange in four years of fighting in. Afghanistan, an Afghan resistance spokesman said bere Monday.

The spokesman said an 18-year-old rebel in a government prison, Amir Mnhammad, was exchanged for a government supporter, Hamesh Gul, in Afghanistan's Nangarhar province bordering Pakistan last Thursday. The young rebel was arrested by government troops four months ago and later sentenced by a court to a 15-year prison term, the spokesman said.

He said Mujahedeen Islamic fighters captured Hamesh Gul three months ago and Afgban authorities approached them through tribal elders for the exchange because he was a nephew of a government official, Ahmad Gul, posted as assistant commissioner in Kama district of Nangarhar. The spokesman said Ahmad Gul was shot dead by the Mujabedeen May 13, a week

before the prisoner exchange took place. Meanwhile, President Babrak Karmal has arrived in Moscow for a "brief rest," Radio Moscow reported Tuesday.

Karmal arrived Monday with a delegation of Afghan government and Communist Party members, from an official visit in East Germany, the radio reported.

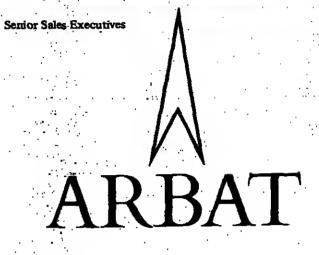
interests about internal political differences. Kodjo admitted SADR as the OAU's 51st member at a foreign ministers' meeting here in February because it had been granted diplomatic recognition by 26 states, half the OAU membership.

Morocco led a 19-nation boycott of the meeting, contending that the SADR could not qualify for membership because it was

not an independent, sovereign African state. Subsequent OAU meetings have been thrown into disarray by walkouts in protest either at the presence of the SADR or their exclusion from the talks. The row has almost paralyzed the OAU and cast a shadow over its next summit in Tripoli, Libya, this August when Col. Muammar Qaddafi is due to assume the chairmanship.

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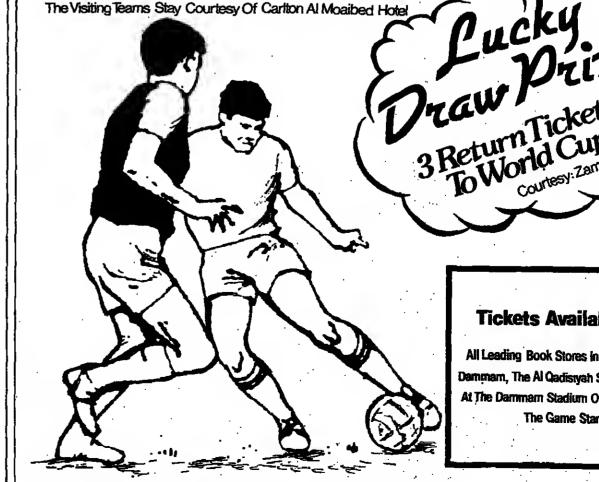
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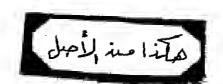
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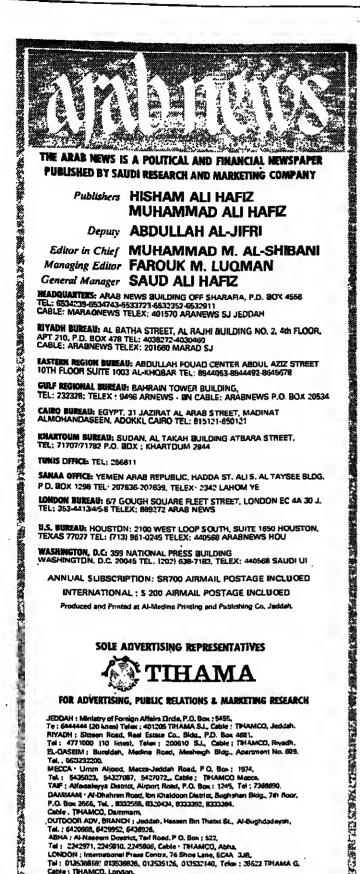


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The recent Iranian advances in the war with Iraq were not unexpected. The Iranian forces have been on the offensive the last few months and the writing was clearly on the wall. It indicated a dramatic Iranian comeback and a matchless determination to recover the territories seized by Iraq during-the last 20 months of meaningless fighting.

The two countries have lost heavily, perhaps irreparably, and it will be a long time indeed before they can begin to rebuild their smashed economies and depleted resources. But what of the immediate future?

Iran will continue to advance toward the international border until the last Iraqi soldier has left the country, although it is conceivable that it may try to occupy some Iraqi territory or hold some Iraqi towns hostage to its artillery in order to press home demands for war reparations in line with what its leaders have been saying during the current offensive.

That will be a mistake, for it will bring about the wrath of the rest of the Arab world including its staunch friends, Syria, Libya and Algeria who helped it beat back the Iraqis by massive shipments of arms and ammunition. They will be embarrassed to continue supporting it if Iraq is occupied. The other Arab states of the Gulf will feel immediately threatened by such an expansionist move. Egypt will not like it and the U.S. has already served notice that it will try to trim down the magnitude of Iranian ambitions by various means. This in turn will bring the Soviet Union, which is bordering Iran and Iraq and the whole region may be inflamed.

Hopefully. Iran is aware of this. And having scored a notable military achievement, it should stop to ponder the serious consequences of any precipitate move.

#### Saudi Arabian press review

that the six-member Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) had succeeded in realizing the Gulf peo :ple's aspirations and ambitions.

Commenting on Tuesday's celebrations marking the first anniversary of the GCC, Al-Rivadh said the council's establishment had proved "its effectiveness to interpret the people's dream for progress and development and to promote coordination and cooperation in all spheres among the Gulf states."

"The achievements of the newly-born council have surpassed those of other organizations, which have so many years of experience behind them. The achievements of the council are due to the fact that it has a different setup and goals," the paper

added. The GCC is made up of Saudi Arabia, the United Arab Emirates, Qatar, Bahrain. Kuwait and

Al -Riyadh referred to Interior Minister Prince Naif's recent statement in which he had highlighted the necessity to ensure the security of the Gulf and its people. "Moreover, such an understanding on the part of the Gulf leaders a long time.". (SPA)

Tuesday's newspapers stressed has led to the call for a joint secunity pact among the Gulf states," the paper said.

It added that the Gulf's security was an integral part of "the Arah and international security" and that it "would not be complete without settling Arab differences and mobilizing all Arab potential to liberate Palestine."

Al -Bilad hailed the Kingdom's big support for the council which it said was reflected by Crown Prince Fahd's patronage of the council's anniversary celebrations being organized in Riyadh by the GCC Secretariat General.

The Kingdom has helped the council shoulder its hig responsibilities and confront all attempts aimed at hindering its progress," the paper said.

Al -Nadwa praised the council's achievements and said it had succeeded in solving all problems and challenges facing the region. "The council has set a firm basis

for meaningful and beneficial cooperation among the Gulf states in all spheres," the paper said.

Al-Yom said the council had been able to ward off "all political and military threats that have disturbed the people in the region for

opposition party.

SLFP faction last year over political differences with Mrs. Bandaranaike. The two factions were known as SLFP (M) after Maitripala and SLFP (S) after Mrs. Bandaranaike's first name, Sirimavo. The party was founded by her husband, the late Prime Minister SWRD Bandaranaike.

concluding stages of the hattle for unity. Senanayake suspended deputy Anura and nine other followers while the young Bandaranaike, in turn, suspended him from the post of party president. But the cracks within the SLFP (M) were already visible when the newspapers reported that private talks were going on between the Bandaranaikes for party unity. Senanayake did not participate in these talks and later accused Anura of deliberately keeping him in the dark on the negotia-

As the facts unfolded Senanayake said: "If the mother likes to take back her son she could do so, hut I would have none of it because I am not prepared to betray the party."

in free elections. And if you would hold elections now, I would say there would be the same results, the same mayors would be elected. And look at those demonstrations. The Palestinians are risking their lives. And still they go on. Even if the village leagues are installed by force, I do not think the people will cooperate with them. For years the people have had demonstrations in

So if they throw out the mayors, they will have to

go to direct military rule which for them takes the

problem to where it was before. Those West Bank

mayors that they removed from office were elected

the West Bank and Gaza; now they also are demonstrating in Nazareth and Accra and other places within Israel. It is like 1976. The Israelis want a showdown at this particular time. They are in a hurry to execute their power. Q. Do you think the creation of a Palestine state is

closer or farther away than what you felt it to be ten

A. I can't look at it this way. I know it is not easy. You have too many obstacles. I am more and more convinced it won't be made by talking. Every day I am more convinced a Palestiniao state will not he made peacefully. I can't believe the Israelis would accept it. unless you force it oo them. That is how awful I believe them to be.

Q. Even in the West Bank and Gaza - they will not relinquish even that?

Q. Who would force them to a solution, can the United States?

A. I don't believe it. The United States has to he only one factor. The Israelis are becoming more and more extremist, more and more reckless and more and more narrow-minded. They have never been so narrow-minded, so reckless. Before they were more

Q. Who in your opinion among the Israeli leaders were more wise?

A. I am not comparing them individually. I am saying that ten years ago, as a group, they were more wise. That does not mean that they were wise then. No, not at all. But certainly now they are getting worse. Now if Begin dies or if there are changes in Israel I doubt if the Likud would pull the same percentage of votes from Jews. So then a new structure would be set up. You know Begin holds all of the extremists, the oon-Labor parties, from all sections, Herut with liberals, all kinds, and more or less he is accepted. He is the last of the historical leaders; he has been active in Zionist-Israel political life now for 40 years - since 1942.

He came to Palestine, became the leader of the Irgun, then the leader of the opposition and then the prime minister. This experience is oot easy, there is cobody in Israel who has accompulated that experience. He is the last one living offins genera-

Q. What about Peres? A. He's a newcomer: Peres started in the '50s. As director general of the ministry of defense, and then he became minister of defense. In historical terms he cannot compete with Begin. Who comes after Begin? It's hard to know. You have Shamir and Sharon. But these people are not accepted by all parties of the Likud. Sharon is liked by certain sections but he is despised by many other sections. The liberal section simply despises him. Others fear him. Shamir is colorless. He is a former narrowminded terrorist, and he has not advanced very much. Even his performance as foreign minister is very very weak.

Q. Do you think the Saudi Arabian peace plan will be tried again and be successful?

A. It is said so. But wait, first we'll see if Egypt comes back into the Arab League. Q. Can you brief us on the Palestine Research

PLO official tells Arab News

'A Palestinian state will not be made peacefully'

A. The PLO itself was established in May 1964 and this Research Center was established in Fehruary 1965. It has two functions: to document the Palestine question, and to conduct research. Our research is divided in three sections: Palestinian affairs. Israeli affairs and international affairs. We have a library that contains about 22,000 volumes, mainly in Eoglish, Arabic and Hebrew. Then we have the archives which collect and index about 250 publications. We record the daily events concerning the Palestine question, which we publish in a semiannual book. Also we monitor all Israeli broadcasts

#### people and they will not get it. opposition unifies ranks Sri Lanka's

By Mallika Wanigasundara

(EDITOR 'S NOTE: Following is an interview with

Sabri Jiryis, director of the Palestine Research Center

in Beirut, Jiryis, who was forced to leave his home -

land, Palestine, in 1970 to live in Beirut, is the author

of the well -received ' 'The Arabs in Israel, ' ' and is

completing a definitive, three -volume history of Zion -

ism. The interview was conducted in Beirut recently.)

By Grace Halsell

Arab News Staff

Q. The Israelis have bombed and killed civilians in

Lebanon, and are poised to move with tanks into

southern Lebanon. Do you think the United States

would cut off aid to Israel if the Israelis invade

Q. Some Israelis are boasting they could go six

A. The Israeli leadership is arrogant, they feel

months on their own, without help from the United

themselves very strong, and they have reason to feel

that way through the generous help which the

United States is providing them. However, if they

fight for two weeks - without help - they might

have an economic breakdown. Economically they

are not very good at all. Their other ally is South

Africa. Help from that country would not count.

They need a lot. There is no one else, other than the

United States that they could count on for an emergency transfusion. It's only American dollars

that would and does bail them out. Do you know

how much inflation they have? Every year, more

Q. What is the Israeli strategy in throwing out the

A. They are trying to make decisions, their way. They want to establish "autonomy" they way they

understand it - and the way they understand "aut-

onomy" is not the way others understand it. Put it

this way: Attention has been on the Sinai. All atten-

tion now will be focused on the Palestine question,

and they are afraid they will have to give in some on

the West Bank. So I think they are trying to establ-

ish some "facts" quickly. It seems to me they will

not succeed. They need collaboration from the

Palestinian mayors on the West Bank?

A. No. They cannot and they will not.

southern Lebanon?

than 100 percent.

COLOMBO -The wheel has come full circle and the expected has happened. Former Prime Minister Sirimavo Bandaranaike and her "rebel" son, Anura, have reconciled, leading to the reunification of the Sri Lanka Freedom Party (SLFP), the country's largest

Meanwhile, erstwhile political bedfellows, Maitripala Senanayake and Anura, have parted ways with the attendant recriminations. They are slinging mud at each other while their diehard supporters are smearing cowdung at each other's political

Senanayake and Anura formed a breakaway

The SLFP (M) outdid itself in pyrotechnics at the

Another political complication arose when Mrs. Bandaranaike visited India, ostensibly on a pilgrimage which was widely covered by the Indian press. Some observers even interpreted the visit as an attempt by Mrs. Bandaranaike to seek the medi-

ation of Prime Minister Indira Gandhi. Then while the question was being asked whether Anura would ditch Senanayake, mother and son announced that the two factions were reuniting under the indisputable leadership of Mrs. Bandaranaike. Sepanayake was thus presented with a fait accompli, causing one leading newspaper to publish the comment of a member of the ruling United National Party (UNP) that the Bandaranaikes "will bury the hatchet on Maitripala's head leaving the party like the tribe that lost its

The unity resolution was spearheaded by Antira at one of the stormiest meetings of SLFP (M). Angry words, vile abuse and flying missiles provided the backdrop as the resolution was approved by a 10-7 vote. Not surprisingly, Senanayake voted

Policemen posted outside the SLFP(M) headquarters said that the noise inside was terrible. Surprise defections from the Senanayake camp to the Anura fold added to the excitement of the day. Anura then summoned the 500-strong All Island Working Committee of the party at his ancestral home in Horagolla where the members unanimously ratified the resolution.

But the legal complexities are not quite over yet. Competent observers said that in taking over the SLFP leadership, Mrs. Bandaranaike will cause problems for the party. The former prime minister has been deprived of her civic rights following her conviction in court abuses while the SLFP was in power. The legality of the party during an election is at stake. The government has enacted laws which debar her from canvassing, or taking any part in any electioneering activities. If it could be proved that she did so, the candidate runs the risk of being unseated after an election protest. With her as president, SLFP candidates thus run the risk of being disqualified en masse under the present Parliamentary Elections Act of 1981.

But Anura earlier announced that should his mother's presence as party president create problems for SLFP she would resign. It would follow then that Anura would become president.

In parliament itself there is another problem which puts Sepanayake again in a bad light. When the two factions split last year the SLFP (S) informed parliament that four MPa — Senanayake, Anura, Halim Ishak and R.P. Wijesiri - have been expelled from the party.

Under the present law, when an MP is expelled from a party he runs the risk of being expelled from parliament, too, though not automatically. If he does not seek redress in the supreme court a select committee of parliament inquires into the circumstances under which the expulsion took place. The committee then recommends to parliament whether the MP should be expelled or not. Right now a select committee is going through this exercise in the case of the four expelled MPs.

But now Anura has gone back to the SLFP (S); so parliament will have to be duly informed. Mrs. Bandaranaike has consistently said that she cannot take back Senanavake and some others. Into this muddle must be thrown the problem of ownership of the party headquarters. It is now in the possession of Senanayake who has locked it up an requested police guards. Anura and Basil Rajapakse, former SLFP (M) general secretary, are, however, seeking court permission to enter the building from which they are debarred.

Meanwhile, President Jayewardene has declared 1982 an election year, which could mean the start of the campaign period prior to the May 1983 polls. But every once in a while, political gossip floats the possibility of a snap election sometime this year. (Depthnews)

We have published about 400 volumes in the past 17 years on differenct aspects of the Palestine question. Out of about 20 employees here, eight are from other Arab countries including Egypt and Iraq. Among the Palestinians here, I would say we

have representatives of almost all organizations. Q. Can you tell us a bit more about your own life. as a Palestinian?

A. I belong to those Palestinians who stayed in Palestine after Israel was established. I was educated at the Hebrew University in Jerusalem, and I practiced law in Israel. After the Israelis occupied all of Palestine in 1967, I thought there was only one way, armed resistance against them. As for me. I have been active, in my way, since before the PLO

was established. After it was established I thought this is the organization which one should join. I joined Fatch in 1967, but of course secretly. The PLO asked me to come out, they said we

need someone to monitor the Hehrew bro the Israelis. We were then broadcasting from Cairo. The moment I left Israel, there was the Black September (war in Jordan). So the radio station was closed down. And I had to come here to Beirut. And then I stayed.

Why do I live in Beirut instead of the United States? I think if I go to live in the United States within two or three years I would explode and die. I have nothing to do there. Not only in the States hut also Europe. I am here because I am obliged to be here. But it is not my country, it is not my home, it is not my society, it is not my future. I would rather be in Palestine and since I cannot be there, I will he where the PLO is.

Q. What kind of passport do you carry? A. Now? Sudanese.

Q. When will you carry a Palestinian passport? A. I hope I can answer that question, but I am not sure. I would like to carry one.

Today is Wednesday, May 26th. the 146th day of 1982. There are 219 days left in the year. Highlights in history on this date: 1521 - Martin Luther is hanned by Edict of

Worms for his religious beliefs. 1805 - Napoleon Bonaparte is crowned King

1854 - France and Britain occupy Piraeus after declaring blockade of Greece for attempting to attack Turkey. 1865 — Surrender of last confederate (southern)

army at Shreveport, Louisiana, ends U.S. civil - British East Africa Company is char-

tered. 1933 - Australia claims one-third of the Antarctic Continent.

1942 — Gen. Erwin Rommel resumes German offensive in Africa with massive tank support in World War II. 1948 - Jan Christian Smuts' coalition of United

and Labor Parties is defeated by Nationalist Afrikander Bloc standing on apartheid platform. 1962 — European extremists to Algiers bomh and hurn out 18 elementary school huildings.

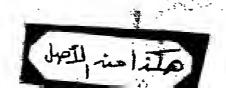
1964 — China rejects appeal by Britain to help halt fighting in Indochina kingdom of Laos. 1977 - South Moluccan extremists in the Netherlands release children held hostage in school, but continue to hold five teachers and 50

to 60 other people oo bijacked train. 1979 - Israel formally returns sovereignty of Sinai capital of El Arish to Egypt under terms of their new peace treaty.

1981 — Italian Prime Minister Arnaldo Forlani's cabinet resigns following revelation that hundreds of government officials were members of secret Masonic Lodge, contrary to Italian law.

#### Thought for today:

A zoo is a place devised for animals to study the habits of human beings - Oliver Herford, English writer-illustrator (1863-1935)



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#### Expert opinion varied

### icensing of 'artificial blood' considered

TOKYO (Depthnews) - Big questions remain on the safety of the synthetic oxygen carrier Fluosol DA, often wrongly labeled artificial blood. It is an oil by-product, one of the emulsions of fluorocarbons. It carries twice the oxygen of red cells for up to 72 hours. Only as a carrier does it duplicate the blood's work because it cannot clot, fight infection or carry enzymes.

But it can be used irrespective of blood type and is free of diseases transmitted by transfusinn. When refrigerated it stores for two years - much longer than fresh blood.

The same manufacturer, the Green Cross Corporation in Osaka, afready has two similar emulsions in use that do not require licensing. They wash out and supply oxygen to kidneys and other organ transplants and keep cells alive at biological lahoratories.

However. Green Cross is still pressing for a license for Fluosol DA, here and in the U.S. Clinical studies are officially underway in both countries. However, a high level of caution remains. Most of what is known results from animal research. Only limited emergency and experimental work on humans continues.

One of the first humans to receive a small transfusinn of flunsol DA was Dr. Ryoichi

Dear Mr. D.: Myocardial infarction means death of heart muscle

Myocardial infraction may be precipitated in patients who suffer

from high blood pressure, in those subjected to emotional excitement

or extreme physical exertion. Also in those who have posisurgical

blood loss, severe infection or arterial spasm due to atherosclerosis.

fatty material producing thrombosis or clots. As a result, the coro-

nary arteries narrow and this reduces blood supply to the heart

Most infractions involve the left ventricle of the heart. The pain

due to myocardial infarction may last for hours or days (in severe

attacks). It extends across the chest, into the shoulders, neck, jaw and

arms. Patient perspires profusely, the blood pressure plummets, and

Getting emergency treatment is important. Approximately half of

Diagnosis is confirmed by ECGs and examining the blood for

enzyme elevations (i.e. CPK - creatin phosphokinase). One of the

most severe complications is a heart irregularity (arrythmia) called

those who die of a heart attack do so before receiving any medical

muscle. Then prolonged heart damage results.

the patient has a sense of fear and doom.

In this latter condition there's an accumulation of plaques of soft

cells. There's death or necrosis of heart muscle if blood is cut off from

Naito. Green Cross chairman. More recently he has been predicting Japanese approval for the product carly this year.

But according to the Health and Welfare Ministry, nn deadline is in sight. Staff at the ministry's evaluation and registration division of the biological products section say full examination could take another year. A final decision rests with the Pharmaceutical Council. an advisory bady to the ministry. It is currently sifting a wildly conflicting range of expert opinion.

At the center of it are totally opposite views on the after-use accumulation of fluosol DA particles. The council has to decide the degree of impact of accumulation - if any - on body tissue. There are reports before the council that accumulation occurs in several organs, the kidney, liver and

Some pathologists say it has a toxic effect. Others argue it does not, that accumulation results anly from long-term use. Will it cause

Nnbody knows. However, it is said it may be possible to link the accumulation problem with cancer.

The Health and Welfare Ministry says the Pharmaceutical Council is insisting on cancer-risk studies by the manufacturer. Still to he clarified is whether the results are needed before or after a council decision on emergency-short-term use of the oxygen car-

One thing is clear: for Dr. Naito and Green Cross Corp., a license will become a passport to large orders from abroad, particularly in other countries where drug licensing is not so difficult. He lists Taiwan, Singapore. Malaysia and Hong Kong. He says the product is playing a useful role in Asia.

He says blood banks are not all that 'active" in the region, particularly among Chinese populations. He attributes this to the Confucian concept that every aspect of the body, the skin, the hair, the blood, must be treated with great respect. Even blood donation is considered a bad act because it is against the wishes of ancestors.

A synthetic oxygen carrier would therefore have more acceptance, he argues.

He sees demand, for instance, among the religious whn refuse blood. There is an "accelerating" demand from these groups, particularly in America because of friction with the medical profession, including writs over transfusions given while patients are

anesthetized. Dr. Naito says there are clinical preferences for an oxygen carrier that would avoid incompatibility in blood typing and the transmission of viral hepatitis. The clinical

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risk of transmission of hepatitis B in Japan is around 2 percent of blnod recipients, Dr. Naito says. The risk in America averages 0.5 percent. However, he agrees the key role for the oxygen-carrier would be in emergency.

For instance around holidays when there are fewer donors and more accidents. At this time blood bank refrigerators are likely to have a very small fresh blood supply.

Dr. Naito says of the 120 nations at the United Nations headquarters in New York, only 20 have their own blood hanks. He claims in Tokyo, the fresh blood stockpile would quickly diminish — and donors would be few and far between - if a major earthquake hit a densely populated center.

#### Refugee eligible for world Rubik championship

MANILA (Depthnews) - The girl in the fishing village of Kuala Juru, in Malaysia's west coast, stared long at the multi-colored object. A boy in one of Manila's elementary schools was fascinated by it. And all over Asia's sidewalks, peddlers are still selling it like hotcakes long after the holidays are over.

All over the world, in fact millions are being mesmerized by a cube. A mysterious cube which should be approached with awe. and caution, for getting under its spell may mean perpetual slavery to its myriad possibilities. And then it is also so simple, approaching the ascetic symmetry of blocks of colours. "Just put one color to one side, put the technicolor arrangements in their rightful places," a child told me. "Make that one side just plain green."

Forgive me, but a child's mind is better at sorting psychedelia, but no, a government official refused to see anyone until he has unraveled Rubik's mystery. Rubik's Cube has become popular entertainment, a delightful puzzle, and still another monument to man's eternal search for making life much more complicated.

The cube, small that it is, has one billion million different positions, and it has become a world-wide craze since Erno Rubik, its Hungarian inventor, who is a professor of architecture in Budapest, first started selling h in 1979. Well, it was really one of those capitalist bourgeois salesmen who first introduced it to Western markets, but it has caught a global audience.

Not least among its fans is 14-year-old Duc Trinh who escaped from Vietnam in a fishing boat nearly three years ago. He is now Canada's national Rubik's Cube champion.

And he may compete in Hungary for the world championship to be chosen among parReader defends Pravda, maybe the U.S.S.R. there cannot, of course, be any

Another Look

"The letters to the editor of Pravda

serve as an important forum for Soviet

citizen to air pet peeves, make sugges-

tions, and scold their less virtuous coun-

trymen ... All told, Pravda received (and

answered) more than 600,000 letters

last year, a measure of reader loyalty that

The uneasy Assistant Deputy Editor of

Letters didn't know what to do, so he bucked the letter up to the Deputy Letters

Editor, who frowned and forwarded it to

The Letters Editor, after reading the mis-

sive three times, took it to the Deputy

Editor, who tonk it to the Editor. Then the

decision ("nyet!") shot back down to the

The latter wrote to the author of the let-

"Dear Comrade Editor," it began, "I

have been reading Pravda for many years

and have learned much from it. I am grate-

ful that I do not have to depend on the

so-called "free press" of the Western coun-

"It makes me furious, therefore, when I

encounter fellow citizens who criticize

Pravda. I decided to share my replies with

your readers so that they will know how to

"1. Some people say that Pravda does not

"To these people I reply that Pravda must

print all of the news, only those items that

not burden its readers with stories that

could easily be misunderstood, thereby

creating doubts about the ideals of

"This is one area in which we can say

Amen to the present Pope, John Paul II,

who said. It is the right of the faithful not to

be troubled by theories and hypotheses that

they are not expert in judging, or that are

easily simplified or manipulated by public

opinion for ends that are alien to the truth."

on protests and dissident movements in the

U.S. and other non-Communist countries

"2. Some people say that Pravda reports

coincide with the views of the Kremlin.

answer similar vile slanders.

Marxism-Leninism.

ter. Ivan Petrovich, saying that unfortunately space considerations precluded its

Then he read the thing once more:

Assistant Deputy Editor of Letters.

tbe Letter Editor.

most Western editors would envy.".

reports of such movements. 3. Some people say that Pravda conceals bitter disputes over the question of who shall succeed Comrade Brezhnev.

"To those people I reply that the party machinery always works smoothly, cfficiently, and fairly - thanks to rules formulated by Marx and perfected by Lenin.
There can be no bitter disputes.

"4. Some people say that Pravda fails to inform its readers about shortages, shoddy goods and services, hlack markets, and bureaucratic corruption.

"To these people I reply that Pravda means 'truth,' and that such problems would be fearlessly exposed. If it isn't in Pravda, it didn't occur.

5. Some people say that Pravda, reports from other countries are untrue, slanted, chauvinistic, and hypocritical.

"Of those people I ask, 'Have you been to' these foreign countries yourself?' Since the government wisely prevents ordinary citizens from travelling, the answer is invariably no. 'Who are you, then,' I ask, 'to challenge the reports of skilled Soviet journalists who are actually living abroad?"

6. Finally, some people say that these foreign correspondents and the entire staff of Pravda are merely obsequinus lackeys ni the state, that they serve like puppets at the pleasure of Kremlin string-pullers, and that an honest newspaper would fire them all in five minutes. "To those people I reply, "Are you wil-

ling to write a letter to Pravda containing those charges, thereby proving the sincerity of your views?' None of them are willing, which proves their insincerity. "I am sure that this letter, when pub-

lished in your pages, will help other patriotic readers defend your integrity. Sincerely, Ivan Petrovich." Upstairs, meanwhile, the Editor reread

the copy he had made of the Ivan Petrovich letter, smiled grimly, and called in his sec-retary, "Comrade Nina Invanosvska," he said, "this letter is from a very clever counterrevolutionary. Send it to my friend Boris at KGB headquarters."

The editor should have realized, as Boris did, that anyone smart enough to write a subversive letter that looked like a flattering one wasn't so stupid as to use his real name and address. Borts shrugged and filed the letter in his wastepaper basket.

Sunday May 30 - The great democratic

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The recent use of beta blocker drugs increases chances for survival Dear Dr. Steincrohn: I've had a heart attack. My doctor calls it by if taken 7-28 days after onset of symptoms and continued for up to 33 months. (According to recent Norwegian studies.) the fancy name of myocardial infraction. I've been wondering just what this means. - Mr. D.

> **MEDICALETTES** (Replies to and from readers)

Dear Dr. Steincrohm: A first consin of mine has manic depressive psychosis. After consultation it was decided to give her lithium. Everyone realizes she bas improved tremendously. But lately she bas been breaking out. Although she is 35, she has developed acne like a teenager. Now the question is what to do? Stop the lithium? -Mrs. N.

Dear Mrs. N .: Her own doctor will have to make the decision. But it seems to me that lithium should not be discontinued if there is no other side effect other than acne.

Her depression outweighs her skin complication in importance. Why not consider a visit to a dermatologist? She can receive treatment for her acne — if such is the doctor's judgement — while still

Dear Dr. Steincrohn: Is it possible that my impotence is due to taking medicine for my hypertension? - Mr. B.

Possible. Due to affecting the blood supply to the sexual organs, it may cause impotence. Not so in most patients. Lessening the dosage or changing the anti-hypertensive medication may take care of the

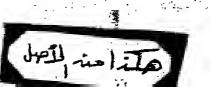
### ventricular fibrillation. This must be treated immediately. but not in the U.S.S.R. During the first year following the attack there's a much greater ticipants from 26 countries. But that depends "To those people I reply that since there than average death rate. In the next five years the mortality rate falls on getting permission from Canadian immigare no protests or dissident movements in Saturday May 29: Oral morphine for relief of cancer pain to 5 percent per year. dilemma

Henkel



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#### Despite poll setbacks

### Gandhi party takes over 3 states

NEW DELHI, May 25 (AP) - Despite poll setbacks and angry controversies, Prime Minister Indira Gandhi's Congress Party has managed to take over the leadership of three of the four states that elected new legislatures

Congress Party chief ministers were sworn into office in Haryana state on Sunday amid outraged opposition charges of "constitutional fraud," and in Himachal Pradesh, and Kerala on Monday. In the fourth state, West Bengal, a Communist-led seven-party leftist alliance was returned to power with a threefourths majority. Marxist Communist leader Jyoti Basu will be sworn in at Calcutta Wedesday to his second five-year term as chief minister.

The Congress Party had ruled prior to the election in Haryana and Himachal Pradesh where it emerged with reduced strength despite strenuous campaigns waged by Mrs.

Indian named 'editor of year' NEW YORK, May 25 (AP) — Arun

Shourie, executive editor of the Indian Express of New Delhi and nine other cities in India, bas been named international editor of the year hy World Press Review. Shourie, 40, was cited for "his historic

introduction of aggressive, independent investigative journalism into the world's largest democracy," Alfred Balk, editor of the monthly Foreign Press Digest, said in a news release Tuesday. The award is given annually for "courage, enterprise, and leadership on an interna-

tional level in advancing press freedom and responsibility, enhancing world understanding, defending human rights, and fostering journalistic excellence."

Shourie, an economist and political writer, has been in journalism for only three years. He was appointed to his present post in 1979. He was cited principally for his expose of trusts set up by Abdul R. Antulay, who sub-

Gandhi, her son and heir apparent, Rajiv Gandhi, and other national leaders. The Congress also performed weaker than

its leaders predicted in Kerala, where a Gandhi lieutenant, K. Karunakaran, 64, was sworn in the head a nine-party Congress-led coalition state government. Karunakaran's previous coalition government toppled a Communist-led coalition last December only to collapse in March after only 60 days in office.

Tempers ran high in Haryana state where opposition parties accused the state governor of bowing to Mrs. Gandhi's orders in swearing in Bhajan Lal of the Congress Party as chief minister even though his party elected only 36 state assemblymen. A two-party opposition alliance won 37 seats and claimed independent and other party support for a

Haryana Governor G. D. Tapase was virtu-

sequently resigned as Mrs. Indira Gandhi party's chief minister in Maharashtra state that includes Bomhay. The scandal has been

dubbed "India's Watergate" or Trustgate" Shourie also was honored for his stories exposing the punishment of judges who rule against Mrs. Gandhi by transferring them to remote jurisdictions, police blindings of pris-oners in the northern city of Bhagalpur, illegal imprisonment of the mentally ill for up to 30 years and illegal detentions of prisoners awaiting trial, a news release from the magazine said.

Last year's award went to Andrew Knight, editor of the Economist of London. Other winners have included Andre Fontaine of Le Monde of Paris, Harold Evans of The Sunday Times of London, Juan Luis Cebian of El Pais of Madrid, and S. Mulgaokar and S. Nihal Singh on the Indian Express and the States man, of New Delhi respectively.

ally mobbed at a Monday meeting with opposition legislators. He defended his action on the grounds that he had followed the principle of inviting the leader of the largest single party to form the state government and denied to reporters that he had acted under pressure from Mrs. Gandhi's federal government.

The 36 elected Congress Party members

compared to a strength of 51 in the 90member outgoing assembly. It was widely predicted, however, that party defections would soon provide the Congress Party chief minister his needed majority.

In Himachal Pradesh, Ram Lal of the Congress Party was sworn in as chief minister for the third time, after his camp elected 31 state legislators followed by the Bharatiya Janata (Indian Peoples) Party with 29. The Congress held 38 of the 68 seats in the outgoing assembly. As in Haryana, it was expected to gain its majority through party defections.

The elections left India with 16 states ruled hy Mrs. Gandhi's Congress Party or Congress-led coalitions, two states by Communists or Communist-led coalitions, three states by regional parties and one state. Assam, under direct rule by the federal gov-

#### Prison life said affecting Sophia

ROME, May 25 (AP) - Six days of jail have put Italian actress Sophia Loren on the verge of mental collapse and doctors have prescribed drugs to help ber cope with anxiety, Rome's leading daily reported Tuesday. "She is very, very depressed," Miss Loren's sister Maria Scicolone was quoted as saying.

Miss Loren, serving a 30-day sentence on tax evasion charges at a small women's jail in Caserta, 33 kms north of Naples, "doesn't sleep, doesn't eat and is very upset," said II Messagero, quoting family and jail sources. The paper quoted the jail's director Liliana de Cristofaro as saying she was "seriously

concerned about her psychic state."

The report said Miss Loren was visited on Monday by Dr. Rosa Caduto, who later diagnosed "a serious depressive state." "She is very shaky...to calm her a bit I have prescribed her some tranquilizers," the doctor said according to the newspaper. The report could not be confirmed.

Giovanna Cau, the actress' lawyer, said her client will ask for "semi-liberty" status, which will allow her to leave the prison during the day and return at night. The 47-year-old actress has already asked President Sandro Pertini for a pardon, but that does not appear likely. Under Italian law, she will not be eligible for "semi-liberty" until she completes half of her sentence.

Il Messagero quoted an unidentified longtime friend of Loren as saying the actress "is paying the price for her fame."

"It's a grotesque situation. Any other person wouldn't bave ended in jail for a 20year-old tax evasion case," the friend was quoted as saying.

#### Mozambican group frees British official

LONDON, May 25 (AFP) — A British national, who was kidnapped in Mozambique on Dec. 17 1981, by a resistance group opposing the government of President Samora Machel, was freed Monday, a Foreign Office spokesman announced here. John Burlison, a zoologist, was found by Zimbabwean authorities near Umtali, at the border between Mozambique and Zimhabwe, the spokesman said.

The British government was informed at its high commission in Harare of Burlison's release. There was no immediate indication of Burlison's condition, and there was no information on whether any ransom has been

Meanwhile, in Zimbabwe, the British High Commission and Zimbabwean police said that Burlison had been held by the anti-Communist National Resistance Movement of Mozambique.

Burlison was kidnapped at Chitengo in the natural game park at Gorongosa in central Mozambique. He had been working in the park for the Mozamhican Agriculture Ministry since 1976. Burlison was kidnapped along with a Chilean mathematician, Moises Carril, who was released earlier.

#### **BRIEFS**

LONDON, (AFP) - Peter Sutcliffe, 36, the "Yorkshire Ripper" sentenced last year 10 30 years jail for the murder of 13 women,

30 years jail for the murder of 13 women, Tuesday lost his appeal made on grounds of "diminished responsibility."

NEW DELHI, (AFP) — Police bomh experts Tuesday defused 26 live sticks of dynamite placed in the cooling tower of an underground supermarket in New Delhi's swank Connaught Place archade. Three notes found with the explosives said I the outlawed pro-Chinese People's Liberation lawed pro-Chinese People's Liberation Army was claiming credit for the action,

police said. WASHINGTON (AFP) — Senate Major-ity Leader Howard Baker Tuesday announced he will visit China Friday following an invitation by the Peking authorities. HARARE, (AFP) — About 500 families

squatting on the outskirts of Zimbahwe's capital were forcibly moved into government housing Monday and had their huts destroyed by hulldozers, at the start of planned moves against squatters across the country.
Squatters numbering several thousands at the
Mayambara camp had been accused by the
authorities of polluting a reservoir supplying
drinking water to nearby Chitungwiza, Harare's largest black township bousing close to 500,000 people.

NEW DELHI, (AP) — The death toll in a boat accident in southeastern India rose to 33 Monday with the recovery of six bodies from the Godavari River, the United News of India reported. The overcrowded ferry, carrying 54 passengers, capsized midstream Sunday near the village of Peravaram, 1,400 kms southeast of New Delhi.

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#### (2 die , 15 hurt) as Brazil jet breaks in two

BRASILIA. Brazil, May 25 (AP) - A Brazilian jerliner with 112 persons reported aboard broke in half on landing at the Brasilia airport late Monday night in heavy rain, killing two persons and injuring 15, airport officials said.

A spokesman for the airline. Vasp, said the plane did not catch fire because of the rain. He said none of the 15 injured were in serious condition, and only two remained in the hospital overnight.

The Boeing 737 came apart at the end of a flight from Porto Alegre and Sao Paulo. Airport officials said it lost an engine during the landing but could not say if that caused the accident.

Passenger Luis Alberto del Canale, who hoarded at Porto Alegre, told the Associated Press the flingt had been normal until the landing. He said he felt a sharp bump as the plane touched down followed by a heavier hump. He said the plane began to skid, turned around 180 degrees and broke in two at the middle of the fuselage.

The passengers at first remained calm but began leaping from the plane after smelling fuel, he said. He said the dead and injured apparently were seated at the front of the plane. "I was sitting in row 13," he said. "I think that's why I was saved.

Del Canale said the airport ambulance took half an hour to reach the site of the crash about 800 yards from the airport terminal. Airport officials said the accident was the first in the 22-year history of

#### Hinckley's craze for guns testified

WASHINGTON, May 25 (R) — John Hinckley Jr., on trial charged with attempting to assassinate President Ronald Reagan, tried to kill himself five times in 1979 by playing Russian roulette with a revolver, a psychiatrist testified Monday.

Psychiatrist, Thomas Goldman told the court that Hinckley, then a student in Lubbock, Texas, put one bullet in a .38-caliber revolver, spun the chamber and fired at his forehead. The psychiatrist said each time the gun failed to go off, Hinckley exclaimed "this was my lucky day."

Dr. Goldman was testifying for the defense, which is trying to convince the jury that Hinckley should be found not guilty on grounds of insanity in the shooting on March 30, 1981, in which the president and three other men were wounded.

At Cannes festival

### Poles await film honors

Poland, triumph in 1981, is conspicuously absent this year from the Cannes film festival competition, there may still be honors for

Poles at Wednesday's prize giving.
Polish director-in-exile Jerzy
Skolimowski, a Cannes veteran, has Moonlighting in competition as a British entry. In the contest for the best actor award is Jerzy Radiziwilowicz, who stars in French director Jean-Luc Godard's Passion. Radziwilowicz played the title role in Adrzej Wajda's Man of fron, based on the historic August 1980 Baltic strike, which last year won the Palme D'Or, the festival grand prix.

Polisb-born, 100, is Klausscinski, star of Werner Herzog's Fitzcarraldo. Skolimowski's Moonlighting was filmed in London rapidly and on a low budget a few weeks after the state of siege was declared in Poland last December. The film, which stars Jeremy Irons, is a comedy about a group of Polish laborers working illegally in Britain on the eve of the military crackdown.

"I made this film specially for Cannes," Skolimowski says, "for in the absence of an official Polish film, it was important to have a film that would at least bear witness for

Also in the official section, but out of competition, is Chronopolis, a feature-length animated film by Warsaw Academy of Arts graduate Piotr Kamler. Kamler has worked in France since the late fifties, although making regular trips back to Warsaw. Chronopolis, a science-fiction fable, took bim six years to complete. the warm reception that Chronopolis received at its screening

suggests it may win one of the fringe prizes. Elsewhere in the festival, critics week, devoted to work by newcomers, screened the Polish Sensitive Spots, directed by Piotr Andrezhew. Directors fortnight, the parallel" festival, showed the Polish-West German co-production Daimler Limousine, a film by Filip Bajon about the Nazi threat to Dani-

The state of siege is reported to have played havoc with the Polish cinema industry. hut a handful of films made before the crackdown have been screened in the film market by Film Polski, the state body that bandles foreign sales. The films include Wojciech Marczewski s Chills, the initial Polish entry in the foreign language category of this year's Hollywood Academy awards.

#### Grandmother gets jail in U.S. for drug offense

LOS ANGELES, May 25 (R) — A 75-year-old grandmother from Colombia has been jailed for three years for smuggling; cocaine worth nearly \$500,000 into the United States.

Prohation officers had recommended a one-year sentence for Heliodora Saenz, who has 12 grandchildren, but district judge Terry Hatter said Monday the longer term was necessary to show drug traffickers that they could not use elderly people as couriers.

Customs officials said they found two and a half pounds (1.2 kg) of cociane under a false bottom in her suitcase when she arrived in Los Angeles by air from Colombia. She said she did not know the drugs were there.







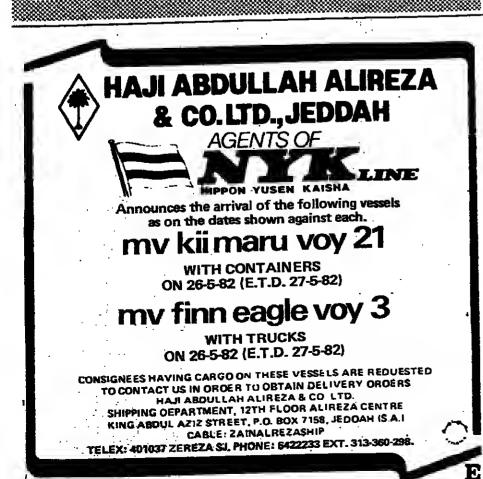
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plan to hike

food output

MOSCOW, May 25 (R) - Soviet Presi-

deot Leonid Brezhnev has announced a spe-

cial food program aimed at ending shortages

in some basic foods and reducing dependence

The 75-year-old Kremlin leader, speaking

at a plenum of the Communist Party's

policy-making central committee, said Mos-

cow had been compelled to step up purchases

of foreign grain and meat because of crop fail-

ures at home.

He amnounced a series of cash incentives

for collective and state farmers and measures

to improve living conditions in rural areas.

The program also included changes to

His speech, summarized by Tass news

agency, made no mention of last year's grain

harvest which is believed to have fallen as

much as a third below its target of 238 millioo

improve organization.

on agricultural imports from the West.

Threat to oil supply persists

### IEA call to develop other energy sources

PARIS, May 25 (R) — The major industrial oil-consuming countries have said that the political situation in the Middle East posed a permaneot threat to supplies and insisted that they must continue to diversify away from oil despite the present glut. Ministers from the 21 countries in the

#### Kuwait to lend N.Yemen \$35m

KUWAIT, May 25 (R) - Kuwait is to lend North Yemen 10 million Kuwaiti dinars (\$35 million) for a major power-generating project under an agreement signed here.

It was signed Monday following talks bet-ween North Yemen Prime Minister Abdul-Rahman Al-Iryani, who arrived Sunday from Qatar on the secood stop of a Gulf tour, and Kuwaiti leaders.

The loan, which will cover 10 percent of the project's costs, carries an annual interest rate of 2.5 percent and will be tepaid over 20 years after a five-year grace period. Kuwaiti official said. The talks also dealt with the Gulf situation, the Iran-Iraq war and Middle East International Energy Agency (IEA) also said in a communique after their one-day annual meeting here that private investment in energy projects remained sluggish and was too low to meet long-term energy oeeds.

British Secretary of State for Energy Nigel Lswson, who chaired the meeting, said he thought it was the first time since its inception that the IEA, had met when there was no major oil crisis.

There is no cause for alarm but equally we must avoid complaceocy. We did not see the current situation as a sign that energy prob-lems have receded permanently," he told a news conference.

The communique said the ministers concluded that despite the current more relaxed oil market, considerable uncertainties remained about energy developments and it added: "The political situation in the Middle East carries with it the underlying and everpresent risk of oil supply interruptions."

IEA officials said the ministers were told that demands for oil withio the group would fall in 1982 for the fourth consecurive year. Oil stocks were little-changed from last year but crude oil price felt sharply in the first five months of 1982 because of the unprecedented dut, they said.

#### Freight rates come under pressure

LONDON, May 25 (AFP) - Freight rates were under some pressure last week, with little new business available and Soviet charterers indicating that they would not need any more vessels until July and may be reletting some tonnage in the Atlantic.

In addition the Falklands crisis and holidays in many countries teoded to keep likely charters on the sidelines.

The Far East and Indian Ocean appeared to be particularly soft spots and reports cootinued arriving of vessels ballasting out of the regions to seek more profitable loads.

The virtual withdrawal of Soviet interest in

the River Plate area and the switch to the United States has had a general dampening effect oo sentiment as fewer vessels will be needed on the shorter sea journeys.

But it is reported from Argentina that about 400,000 tons of grain has been sold to Japan, Venezuela, Taiwan and Spain. There was evidence of one large vessel (67,000 tons) being fixed from the River Plate to Japan with the option of a second trip to Europe. Japanese charters were busy during the early part of the week booking several vessels oo time charter and single voyage contracts.

The Japanese obtained a 50,000 tonner for

a grain cargo out of the U.S. Gulf at \$20.75 or 25 cents less than the week before. Out of the U.S. coal terminal, Hampton

Roads, 55,000 tonners were fixed to Japan at \$17.25 and 17.75 ton compared with \$17.40 previously.

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#### Against Argentina

probably had limited effects on trade during

the first month, because goods en route to

Europe or covered by contracts already

But because of the time lag involved with

the placing of import orders, the volume of

trade would not regain normal levels for

mooths after the embargo is lifted, they said.

An Argeotine official in Brussels said that

trade embargoes never worked fully, and he

saw a possibility that some products might go

to third countries and then be re-imported to

The Third World diplomats in Geneva said

that because trade bans resulting from the

Falklands crisis were among the first in

decades to affect the General Agreement on

Tariffs and Trade (GATT), their countries

were looking to the Geneva-based agency as

the place to draw up world-wide rules limit-

ing embargoes for political purposes.

signed were exempted, they added.

EEC curbs jolt 3rd World GENEVA, May 25 (R) - A ban on lion oo Argentine imports mainly toodstuffs, animal feed and hides. The EEC import ban

imports imposed by the European Economic Community (EEC) and some other countries has joited developing nations into realizing how weak they are when rich states take such action, according to Third World diplomats in Geneva.

They told Reuters that sanctions - the EEC Mooday renewed its measures for an indefinite period because of the continuing cooflict over the Falkland Islands threatened to open a new North-Wouth trade

They added that the Third World was oow considering ways in which non combatants could be blocked from joining a ban oo trade

with an ally's enemy.

They spoke as EEC sources in Brussels said that trade already lost to Argentina because of the sanctions was unlikely to be recovered when the Falkland Islands crisis was settled.

The sources said that EEC importers would turn increasingly to alternative sources while the embargo lasted, and could be tempted to sign longer term contracts with them if the crisis looked like dragging on. Countries like Australia and Uruguay

might benefit from the suspension of beef import quotas from Argentina, the sources added, while U.S. cereals exporters would welcome less Argentine competition in selling maize and soya products to Europe.

They also said that ban, oow in its sixth week, would start to bite harder as various exemption clauses become less important with the passage of time.

In 1980, the last full year for which figures are available, the EEC spent about \$1.8 bil-

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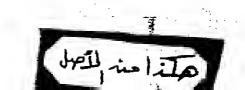
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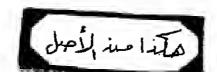
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#### Crisis remains, Thorn says

### EEC, U.K. resolve budget rift

BRUSSELS, May 25. (R) — Britain has won a teduction in its 1982 payments to the European Economic Community (EEC) budget, but at the cost of a significant climbdown from its original demands.

The settlement reached by EEC foreign ministers Monday night, removes a source of argument and acrimony which has disrupted the community for months. Officials said, however, the agreement would only come as a disappointment for British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher.

It also appeared to demonstrate the ineffectiveness of the tough tactics she followed in dealing with her nine EEC partners and left a further feeling of dissatisfaction about Britain's membership of the community.

The agreement gave Britam a 1982 refund of \$850 million out of an estimated net budget contribution of \$1.53 billion. It was only for one year instead of the five-year accord Mrs. Thatcher initially sought and was far less than the one to \$1.5 billion refund she

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Reacting to the settlement the chief executive of the EEC Tuesday praised the interim compromise on EEC financing, hut said the crisis splitting Britain and its nine trading

partners continues.

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"The British problem hasn't been solved for eternity," EEC Commission President Gaston Thorn told a news conference. "The problem will come up again.

Let's be frank and nonest the crisis is not over, but I do believe we have avoided violent disruption. The thing has been kept within

After a 17-bour negotiating session ending at 3 a.m. Tuesday morning, British Foreign Secretary Francis Pym accepted a \$880 million refund from the nine other EEC countries to be paid by the end of the year.

Preoccupied with the crisis in the Falklands and eager to heal the widening rift with the European allies, Pym dropped longstanding British demands for four years worth of refunds or a 1982 rebate of \$1.1 billion. Pym, who will be questioned about the pact in a house of commons debate scheduled for Wednesday, said he was satisfied with the agreement.

#### Prague permits private trade

PRAGUE, May 25 (R) - After being a duty word for 35 years, private enterprise in Czechoslovakia may be on the verge of becoming respectable.

The Communist Party central committee,

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apparently reacting to growing popular discontent over the poorstate of public services, recommended last month that more people be allowed to work as independent artisans as their mam job.

Until now, only pensioners, housewives and invalids were eligible for licences as full-time private dressmakers, shoemakers and carpenters, and even then only on a limited

Since the Communist takeover in 1948, when farms were forcibly collectivized and businesses nationalized in a frenzy of ideological purity, private initiative in this country has not gone much beyond tiny private plots growing fruit and vegetables. Apart from a brief period during the

sbort-lived Prague spring teform in the late 1960s, Czechoslovakia's bardline administration has been implacably opposed to any revival of private husiness, considered the root of all evil

Even orthodox East Germany, bas allowed some private businesses and restaurants, to say nothing of neighboring Hungary, whose thriving private sector plays an increasingly important role in East Europe's most successful economy.

The new recommendations here initially caused some interest, particularly as they followed moves last year to improve the supply of fruit and vegetables by encouraging private cultivation and selling.

However, details of the new scheme are still vague, and quickly gave way to deep scepticism with the realization that it was likely to be surrounded by restrictions and limitations. As one Weastern diplomat remarked: "There seems to be less in the proposals than meets the eve.'

Central committee Secretary Jindrich Polednik, who announced the new proposals, admitted that the situation in the service sector "cannot be considered satisfactory." He complained that many service enterprises ignoted the interests of the public at large and devoted their efforts and resources to more lucrative contract work for industry.

were really working for the public, Polednik

#### Unemployed Britons fall below 3m

LONDON, May 25 (AP) — The number of Britons out of work this month has dipped below the politically sensitive three million mark, the Department of Employment reported Tuesday.

The number on unemployment registers in the middle of May was 2,969,443, or 12.4 percent of the nation's 24 million work force. There were 3,007,796 out of work in April 1

or 12.6 percent. Along with a sharp decline in the rate of inflation announced last week, the better economic news would normally be heralded loudly by Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher's Conservative government, which has concentrated on Britain's chronically

weak economy during its three years in office.

But as with the inflation figures announced last Friday — an annual rate of 9.4 percent, down from 10.4 percent the previous month - the employment news was overshadowed by the nation's preoccupation with the war against Argentina in the faraway Falkland Islands, the British colony seized April 2.

The Employment Department said that because of a still bigh underlying trend in joblessness, the total was expected to top three million again next month when 100,000 teenagers leave school and come onto a stagnant market. Bot it reported a drop in adult nnemployment of 35,519 this month largest fall since June 1979. Government training and grant programs are keeping 492,000 people off the unemployment rolls, the government said.

#### Two U.S. banks cut prime to 16%

NEW YORK, May 25 (R) — Citibank, the second largest bank in the United States, lowered its prime interest rate Tuesday to 16 percent from the 16.5 percent level which bas prevailed in the banking industry since February. Mitsui Manufacturers Bank of Los Angeles followed the move cutting the prime rate from 16.5 to 16 percent.

The balf a percentage point cut in the rate at which the bank lends to its top corporate customers follows a decline in money market interest rates which has reduced the cost of funds, analysts said.

A few banks lowered their prime rates to 16 percent io early March but the continuing bigh level of money market rates forced them to move back up to 16.5 percent later in the month. None of the country's largest banks had alteted their prime rates since then.

#### Reagan seeks debt ceiling hike

WASHINGTON, May 25 (R) — The Reagan administration asked Congress to raise the ceiling oo the federal debt to \$1.275 trillioo through Sept. 30, from the present \$1.0798 trillion, Assistant Treasury Secretary Roger Mehle said.

He said the present ceiliog will be reached by the end of June. Mehle said Congress should raise the ceiling by the Dird week of June to avoid any disruption in the treasury's borrowing plans.

The administration now estimates the public debt outstanding will teach \$1.1318 trillion by the end of the current fiscal year, some \$52 billion above the

current debt ceiling.

Mehle said the debt ceiling request is based on an estimate of a \$20 billion cash balance at the end of fiscal 1983. He said timely action is required to avoid the tepetition of past dislocations which have hampered treasury's financing operations.

Delays in recent years have generated market uncertainty and bave required treasury to suspend savings bond sales and cancel scheduled auctions of treasury sec-

OPEC's role stressed NEW YORK, May 25 (R) — The Pet-

roleum Industry Research Foundation expects OPEC (Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries) to continue to play an important role in determining the price of oil, president John H.Lichtblau said.

Addressing an oil conference, Lichtblau said that if OPEC loses its price setting ability, the nominal price of oil would drop rapidly and substantially.

If OPEC prices were to break this year or . next, Lichtblau added, "I believe the end of the (current oil) surplus would come in the second balf of the 1980's."

#### Foreign Exchange Rates

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#### Financial Roundup

#### Dollar surges as gold drops

By J.H. Hammond

JEDDAH, May 25 — Gold prices fell to a two-month low when prices reached \$325 in London on Tnesday. Silver also fell back to \$6.45 from New York closing levels of \$6.62 on Monday night. Dealers said that bullion was once again being affected by relatively high U.S. dollar interest rates.

In other developments Tuesday, the American currency tegained some lost ground against the major world currencies, but the British pound remained firm trading at 1.8090 on active dealing. The prospects of a quick resolution to the military conflict over the Falklands, pushed up the pound but the Bank of England was still giving it market support.

In New York on Monday night U.S. interest rates remained firm with the onemonth deposit being quoted at 14%-14½ percent levels and with the one-year rate quoted at about ½ percent lower. Federal Reserve "Fed fund" prime lending rates went up slightly to 13% petcent levels from 131/2 percent and dealets were confident that U.S. dollar interest rates would remain stable this week within narrow trading

hands. In the European exchanges, the German mark fell back to 2.3060 levels from Monday's 2.2950 after remarks by the Bundesbank president that U.S. interest rates would not significantly fall this year. The Swiss authorities, in a reversal of previous actions during the last two months, pushed their interest rates up by 1/4 percent to make the Swiss franc more attractive at 1.9525

from 1.9680 on Monday.

The Swiss currency had been under pressure against the dollar when the Swiss commercial hanks had gradually brought down their interest rates from about 51/2 percent to 3 percent levels over the past two

In other currency news, the French franc was stable at 5.9580 with little French central bank support while the Japanese yen fell back sharply to trade at 239.90 from 237.10 after tenewed wotries over Japanese economic fortunes in case of a rupture in trade relations with Europe and the United

In the local markets, spot riyal/dollar exchange rates opened at 3.4300-10 and gradually rose to 3.4305-12 levels by the close of the trading session. Inter-bank dealing was sparse but commercial activity was more than lively compared to Monday's

In the money markers, rival deposit levels were stable with rates being quoted at around 121/4-123/4 petcent for most tenors. The week-fixed was lower at 12-121/2 pet-cent compated with 121/2-13 percent on Saturday, while overnight funds rose briefly to 13 percent levels at one stage but later fell back to 121/2 percent in Jeddah.

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#### **BRIEFS**

WARSAW, (AFP) - The Polish parliament meets Wednesday to consider a gloomy budget in which the ailing economy is reflected in a cut of real spending by 30 petcent, and a 35 percent tevenue dtop. The budget calls for a spending increase of 79 percent to 2,615.000 million zlotys (\$32.7 billion) and a 68 percent lift in tevenue to 2,250,000 million 2lotys (\$28.1 billion).

WASHINGTON, (AP) - The World Bank announced Monday the approval of a \$50 million loan to Morocco for an education project. Some 450,000 primary school students in 700 schools will be provided with basic learning aids under the project which will be implemented over the next five year.

PARIS, (AFP) - A forthcoming French government bond issue of 10,000 millioo francs (about \$1.7 billion) was announced here Tuesday. The eight-year issue will carry interest of 16 percent. Last autumn the new Socialist government lannched a 15,000 million franc issue giving 16.75 percent and in January a 10,000 million franc issue provid-

DAMASCUS, (AFP) - Syria and India

signed a scientific and technical cooperation protocol providing for direct exchange of industrial tesearch and planning personnel.

Under the agreement, concluded by Syrian Planning Minister Kamal Shataf and Indian Ambassadot to Syria Asok Kumat Ray, 48 Indian experts will spend a year in Syria as technical assistants, and 30 Sytians will receive a year's economic training in India.

PARIS, (AFP) — French Telesystemes is to provide data bases to Japan for distribution by Marutzen, under an agreement announced here Tuesday, Marutzen, Japan's largest scientific and technical publishet, will handle 33 data banks. These will covet chemicals information, patents and other specialized subjects. The French company has a similar agreement covering Canada.

JOHANNESBURG, (AFP) - Year-onyear inflation in South Africa has reached 16.5 percent, official statistics showed Tuesday. This was the highest figure since 1920, when 24 percent was recorded. In 1981 calendar year inflation was around 15 petcent against 15.8 percent in 1980.

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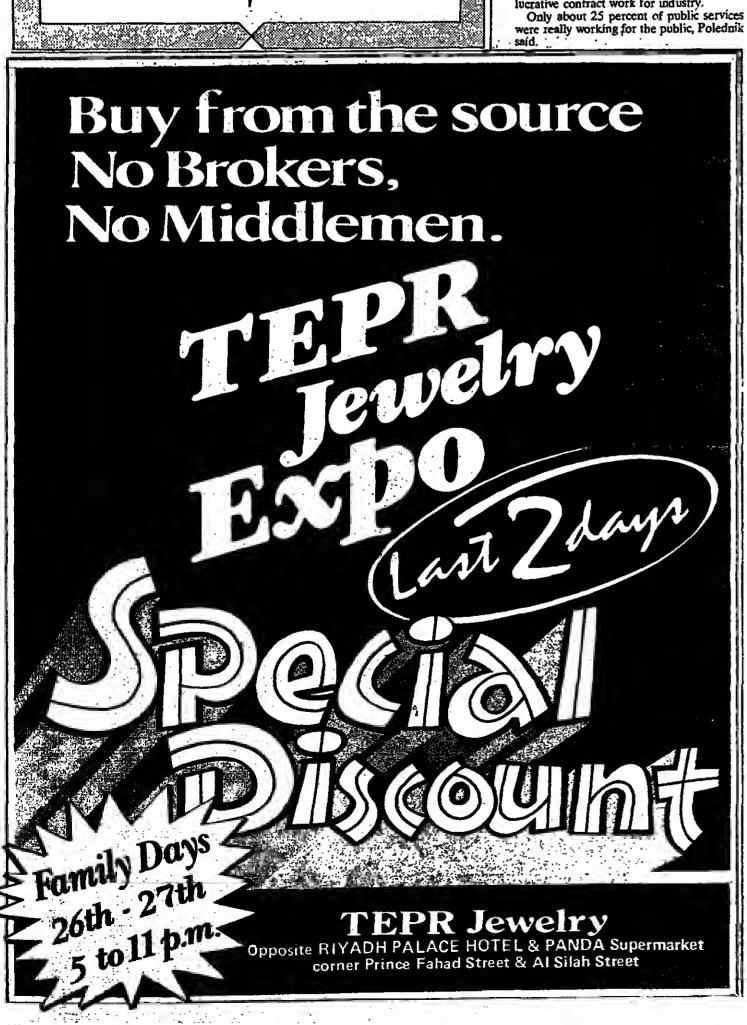
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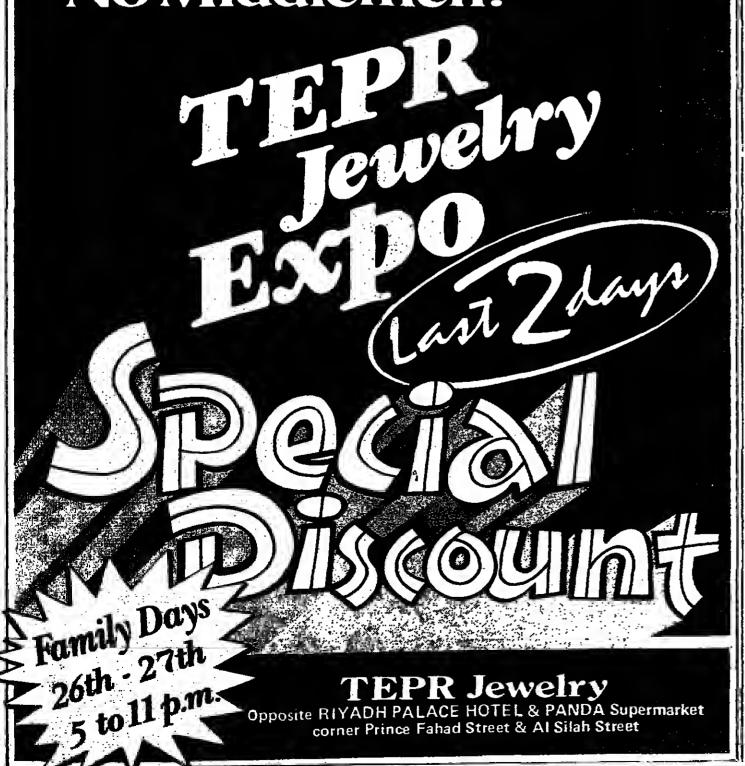
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As Connors sails ahead

### McNamara sweats to down Leconte

Jimmy Connors of the U.S. comfortably qualified for the second round of the men's singles at the French Tennis Open here Tuesday with a 6-3, 6-3, 6-1 win over compatriot Bruce Manson.

However, seventh-seeded Australian Peter McNamara battled for three hours in the bright sunshine at the Roland Garros Stadium hefore getting the hetter of promising French newcomer Henri Leconte in his first round mens singles match. In the end it was Leconte's flagging concentration which let McNamara off the hook.

The rugged 26-year-old McNamara clinched a 4-6, 6-3, 7-6, 7-5 victory, staging a remarkable recovery in the third set by saving ten set points and coming back after trailing

Steve Denton hecame the first seed to he eliminated at the championships when he was beaten in four sets 3-6,6-4,7-6,6-3 by Danie Visser of South Africa. After taking the first set, the 26-year-old Texan who was listed as the No. 14 seed, went steadily downhill. The victory puts the 21-year-old South African into a second-round clash with Sweden's promising 19-year-old Joachim Nystrom.

Sweden's Mats Wilander won warm applause from a packed crowd when he defeated Colombia's Alejandro Cortes 6-4, 6-3, 6-4 in an entertaining match. The 17-yearold Scandinavian, weilding his racket double-fisted and to lethal effect, plays another South American in the second round

- Cassio Motta of Brazil. France's popular Thiery Tulasne survived a difficult opening set to beat Pedro Rebolledo of Chile 7-6, 6-4, 6-1, while Christophe Roger-Vasselin, another Frenchman, went through a five set cliff-hanger hefore defeating Marcos Hocevar of Brazil 6-7, 3-6, 7-6,

Another player to go the full distance and come back from two sets down was India's Ramesh Krishnan, a former French open champion. Krishnan, the son of India's famous Davis Cup star Ramanathan, who reached the Wimbledon semifinals in 1960 and I 96 I, beat Joao Soares of Brazil 1-6,4-6, 6-3, 6-2, 6-4.

The fair-baired No. 16 seed Mel Purcell of the United States was always in control of his first-round match against Guillermo Aubone of Argentina after an evenly-fought first set and scored a 7-5, 6-2, 6-1 win.

Former championship finalist Victor Pecci of Paraguay outslogged Ireland's Matt Doyle to record a 6-3, 3-6, 7-6, 7-5 victory. The eighth seed and leading home hope, Yannick Noah, was too good for his compatriot Jean-Louis Haillet, winning 6-2, 6-3, 6-2. The opening day, Monday, produced no major surprises. Guillermo Vilas of Argen-

tina, who has inflicted defeats on Lendl on their last two-meetings, looked remarkably sharp as he packed off Christophe Freyss of France 6-2, 6-2, 6-1.

Certainly the 29-year-old left-hander from Argentina, coached by former Romanian Davis Cup star Ion Tiriac, did enough to show that he is approaching the sort of form which won him the French and United States titles

Vilas, later, denied reports that he had told reporters he would refuse to play if drawn against a British player during the competition. Clerc also won his opening match in straight sets, scoring a 6-2, 6-4, 6-1 win over Spaniard Eduardo Osta.

Fifth seed Vitas Gerulaitis playing on one of the outside courts was given a tough match by compatriot Eric Iskersky and the flamboyant New Yorkerhad to fight hard to reach the second round. He won 6-7, 6-3, 7-6, 6-3.

#### Hitters sparkle in kle in light pitcher's mound that make seeing the hall

By Freeman Gregory Houston Bureau

HOUSTON, May 25 - Better lighting in baseball parks makes for more home runs, according to some research done by Houston

Post columnist Jack Gallagher.
In his May 24 column, Gallagher said that
the lighting in the Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome in Minneapolis. Minn, is six times brighter than the Houston Astrodome's, Hitters, he said, love the Metrodome, because so many home runs have been hit there while most sluggers disdain the Houston hallpark for the opposite reason.

Gallagher reasoned that better lighting permits bitters to see the ball better, thus allowing better contact between ball and bat. To prove his point, he interviewed a prominent sports photographer - Eddie Kolenovsky of the Associated Press - who told him that he has determined the Astrodome to be darker than most parks.

Kolenovsky said that the field is unevenly lighted as well. Apparently, there are "tundifficult for hitters. Gallagher said that the dome's dimness can

be attributed to an energy conservation move made by the Astrodome's management five years ago when they installed a lighting system that uses less energy. At first, Kolenovsky said, the new system worked fine. Now, it doesn't.

Meanwhile, despite last winter's uproar when critics charged Texas A&M paid too much money to Jackie Sherrill to get him to leave his head coaching position at the University of Pittsburgh and assume duties in College Station, the former Panther mentor is not the highest paid college coach in the

Alahama's Paul "Bear" Bryant earns a reported \$450,000 (SR 1.53 million) annually for his talents — \$104,000 (\$R353,600) base salary and \$300,000 (\$R1.02 million) in television and radio appearances.

Oklahoma's Barry Switzer holds down the second-highest salaried spot with an annual income of \$270,000 (SR918,000), While Shetrill is third with his new \$240,000 (SR816,000) contract.

#### nels of darkness" between homeplate and the Seeds score fluent victories

seeded teams in the men's section of the sixth Asian Table Tennis Championships notched up easy 5-0 margin victories on the second day at the Senavan Sports Complex here this afternoon.

Defending champions and top seed, China trounced Thailand while on the adjacent table North Korea, the third seed hrushed aside Indonesia by a similar 5-0.

Earlier in the morning the Japanese men second seed made short work of the Malaysians taking all the five games in straight sets and India the fourth seed had a similar straight sets win in all the five matches against Bahrain.

From the results so far it looks more than

set to win their respective Group matches to qualify for the final round playoff to decide the first four places.

The only team among the top four seeds that will have a tough hattle is India in Group "D". Having heaten Pakistan Monday, the Indians will now have to contend with Australia later Wednesday night.

Although the Indians are confident of a victory, the Australians are equally confident of "putting up a good fight with a possible upset" to qualify for the final rounds.

In the women's section, India defeated Malaysia 3-0, Thailand heat Jordan 3-0 and Singapore defeated the Philippines by a 3-0 margin.



SAILING HIGH: Queen Park Rangers' Gary Waddock leaps to strike hard at the ball leaving Tottenham's Steve Archibald a mere spectator during the F.A. Cup final at Wembley last Saturday. The match ended in a 1-1 draw.

#### Attacking soccer in the offing at Rotterdam npredictable Walter Junebans.

ROTTERDAM, May 25 (R) — The individual flair of Bayern Munich and the splendid teamwork of Aston Villa should provide an entertaining contrast in styles in Wednes-

day's European Cup soccer final. "Provided we don't freeze, and I can't see that happening, it should be quite a game. Both sides like to push forward in search of goals so I don't think you'll see another 1-0 scoreline like the scores in recent finals," said Tony Barton, who has been manager of Villa for less that eight weeks.

The English game is full of fixe and enthusiasm. We are competitors and most of the continentals, Bayern included I would think, don't fancy playing British teams."

Barton will hand rugged Scot Des Bremner the task of shadowing Breitner, a survivor from Bayern's 1974 Cup winning team. The under-rated Brember is the workhorse of the Villa midfield and the Bayern captain can expect to feel the full force of the Scot's renowned crunching tackles.



Roberto Bettega...nursing an injury

Bremner's compatriots, Ken McNaught and Allan Evans, can expect an equally busy night in the heart of defence as they try to cope with the rare talents of Rummenigge, Europe's deadliest and most polished striker.

But Villa will not be content simply to fight a rearguard action. Gordon Cowans and Dennis Mortimer are creative midfield players while winger Tony Morley, who is likely to be on duty with England in the World Cup, should be a constant menace to Bayern full back Kurt Niedermaye.

Breitner, who has watched Villa on video, is full of admiration. "Our defence which has been off form recently cannot afford to be so generous Wednesday," he said, "Villa like to attack and it's not just the strikers who will be a threat. Their defenders also like to push forward and will be a danger at set pieces."

In a bid to plug the gaps in his leaky defence, Bayern's Hungarian coach Pal Csernai bas recalled veteran goalkeeper Manfred Mueller in place of the talented but

### Scots restricted to lone goal GLASGOW, Scotland. May 25 (AP) next month's World Cup, must have been

GLASGOW, Scotland. May 25 (AP) - Scotland defeated Wates 1-0 in a British Championship Soccer match played at Hampden Park Monday night.

Midfield player Asa Hartford scored the only goal of the game in the sixth minute of the first half.

Scotland, which is grouped with Brazil, the Soviet Union and New Zealand in the first phase of the forthcoming World Cup in Spain, dominated the match for long periods, but failed to turn its superiority into goals.

The Scots attacked relentlessly in the first 45 minutes but had only Hatford's goal to show for their endeavors. Striker Alan Brazil, who a minute earlier had forced a fine save from Welsh goalkeeper Dai Davies, created goal for Hartford.

Brazil carved open the Welsh defense with an immaculate pass and Hartford raced clear and casually slid the hall past Davies.

But there was no more scoring to come and Scotland manager Jock Stein, who saw the match as a vital part of his team's buildup to

### Roberto Bettega misses bus to Spain

ALASSIO, Italy, May 25 (AP) - Roberto Bettega, the Italian veteran soccer forward, will not go to Spain, still troubled by a serious

knee injury, doctors announced Tuesday.
Italian coach Enzo Bearzot, who had long
delayed announcement of the 22nd Italian
player in the official list for the World Cup in the hope of a "miracle" recovery of Bettega, major league champion Juventus of Turin.

Bearzot mumbled in this Italian Riviera resort, where the Italian blue team is training for the championships.

Bettega, who had played a major role in Italy's unexpected fourth place in the World Cup in Argentina four years ago, is nursing sprained left knee ligaments suffered in a

#### Wales, which did not qualify for the World

Villa's performance on the pitch will not be the only point of interest Wednesday. The behavior of their faus in the crowd will also

In view of the reputation of British soccer

fans the Rotterdam police have cancelled all

leave. About 1.200 policemen, including two

units of helmeted riot police, will be on duty

in an around the stadium as will 78 of their

colleagues from Birmingham who will mingle

Aston Villa: Jimmy Rimmer, Ken Swain,

Allan Evans, Ken Mcnaught, Gary Williams,

Dennis Mortimer, Des Brenner, Gordon

Cowans, Gary Shaw, Peter Withe, Tony Mor-

Niedermayer, Hans Weiner, Claus Augen-

thaler, Udo Horsmann, Wlfgang Kraus,

Wolfgang Dremmler, Paul Breitner, Bernd Doernberger, Pieter Hoeness, Karl-Heinz

Bayern Munich: Manfred Muller, Kurt

come under close scrutiny.

with the fans in plain clothes.

Teams.

Cup finals, battled hard and looked dangerous on the break, but it was Scotland that showed the ability to create—and the lnahility to score. Kenny Dalglish forced a 16th minute save from Davies as the Scots poured forward in the first half and also created a 25th minute opportunity that Tommy Burns squandered by ballooning the hall over the Wales looked lively after the interval as

torrential rain swept across the pitch and in the 55th minute David Narely was forced to clear an Alan Curtis cornet off the line. Five minutes later, Ian Rush went close for Wales, but his shot was just wide of hoth Scottish goalkeeper Alan Rough and the post.

Those were two of only handful of chances that came Wales' way throughout, in what was largely an uninspired match. But there were brightspots for Stein, notably in the form of veteran Dalglish, who played brilliandy in midfield, and the promise of Burns, a fringe candidate, who performed with fire and vigor. Alan Brazil, too, was impressive. But Joe Jordan was uneffective and full back Ray Stewart, notably, subdued.

#### **Burkinshaw** banks on same squad

LONDON, May 25 (Agencies) — Tottenham Hotspur manager Keith Burkinshaw Tuesday named an unchanged team to face Queen's Park Rangers in the F.A. Cup final replay at Wembley Stadium Thursday night.

Goalkeeper Ray Clemence, who was trouhled by a calf muscle injury, came through a fitness test Tuesday morning. Argentine international Richardo Villa, left out of the Tottenham team that drew 1-1 in the first match Saturday, against was not considered because of the continuing conflict over the Falkland Islands.

Queen's Park Rangers manager Terry Venables is not expected to name his team until Wednesday afternoon.

The Football Association has decided that penalty kicks will be used to settle the replay should the teams still be level after extra time.

Five players from each side, chosen from those on the field of play at the end of this extra period, will take alternate spotkicks. These will continue until one team has an massailable lead.

Should the teams he level after taking five penalties each, the remaining players on the field at the end of extra time will take alternate penalties until one team has missed and the other has scored from its corresponding

Should the spot kick 'sboot out' be used, it will be the first time it will be seen in the F.A. Cup competition. A similar arrangement was made for the 1981 final replay but was not

The replay will be the 66th and last match of a seemingly never-ending season for Tottenham, who at one point looked set to fill their shelves with a unique collection of trophies. But the final price has always: cluded them.

Giants Liverpool snatched the League Cup from their grasp in March with a 3-1 win in extra-time and went on to win the league title, denying Totttenham another honor. The next target was the European Cup Winners' Cup, but after two closely fought semi-finals they bowed out to Barcelona who later beat Standard Liege in the final.

Last Saturday it seemed they had finally succeeded in their wearying quest for glory. After almost two hours of missed chances, Glenn Hoddle, using the referee as a stumbling block to the Rangers' defence and the inside of midfielder Tony Currie's leg to deflect the hall, gave Tottenham the lead with . only 10 minutes of extra-time to go in the F.A. Cup final.

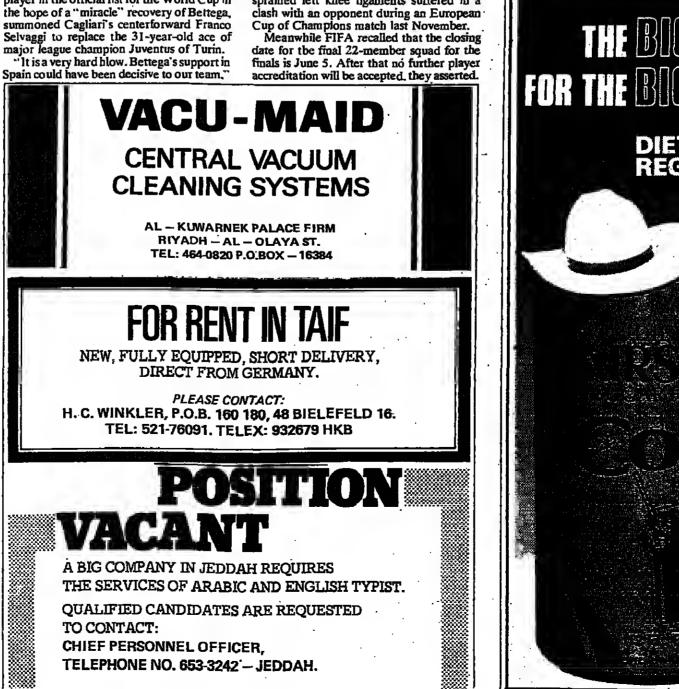
But they were to be tantalised just one more time. Moments later Steve Fenwick became the first full-back to score from open play in a Wembley Cup final when he completed a well-rehearsed move to head past England goalkeeper Ray Clemence.

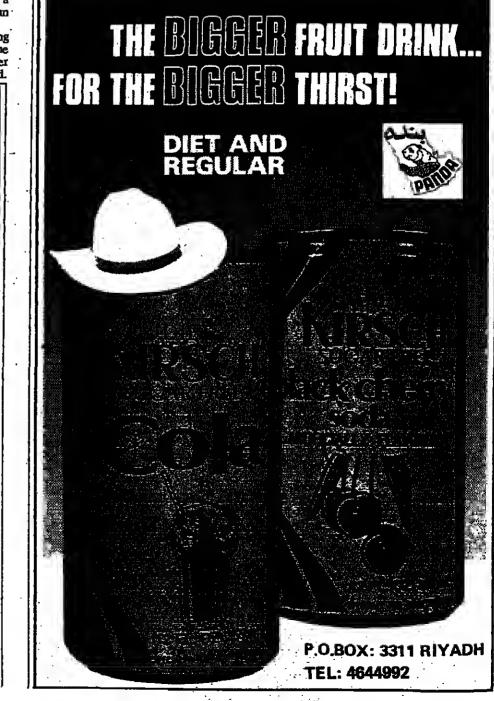
So on Thursday Tottenham face a repeat of last year when, after an equally mundane first match, they beat Manchester City 3-2 in an exiciting replay. One difference this time will be the absence of Tottenham's two-goal hero of the 1981 replay, Argentine Ricardo Villa.

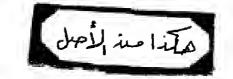
A number of records will be at stake among them Tottenham's proud achievement of never having lost in six F.A. Cup finals. They can now equal Aston Villa's feat of seven victories. Rangers, on the other hand, hoping to win the Cup for the first time, can take heart from the fact that the last two Second Division feams to appear in the final, West Ham and Southampton, have carried off the

trophy.









#### With a homer and two runs

### Roenicke lifts Orioles to victory

NEW YORK, May 25 (AP) — Gary Roenicke had three hits, including a home run, and drove in two runs, leading the Balti-more Oriles over the Toronto Blue Jays 7-5

After taking a 1-0 lead in the first inning on Roenicke's homer, his 10th of the season, the Orioles broke loose for four runs in the secand, chasing loser Jim Clancy, 5-3.

Baltimore starter Scott McGregor, 6-3, went 71-3 innings for the victory. Tim Stoddard came on in the eighth and gained his third save of the season.

Also in the American League, Lamarr Hoyt, the league's winning pitcher, registered his ninth straight triumph as the Chicago White Sox defeated the Kansas City Royals 3-1. Hoyt scattered eight hits, walked one and struck out eight. Paul Plittorff, 2-4, was

Andre Thornton cracked a three-run homer and Lenny Barker fired a four-hitter in leading the Cleveland Indians to a 9-2 victory over the Minnesota Twins. Barker, 5-2, struck out six in going the distance. Pete Redfern, 2-6, took the loss after being The California Angels-Red Sox game at Bos-

ton was rained out. In the National League Bo Diaz homered and drove in three runs to power the Philadelphia Phillies to a 9-1 victory over Cincinnati. Steve Carlton, beating the Reds for the first time in more than two years, improved his record to 5-6. Cincinnati starter Tom Seaver, 1-6, gave up seven runs in five innings as the Reds lost their sixth straight

Ellis Valentine drove in his first run of the season with a two-run homer, and Pat Zachry teamed with Neil Allen to pitch the New York Mets to a 5-3 over the Atlanta Braves. The victory was the third straight for the Mets and the third consecutive defeat for Atlanta.

Bill Gullickson and Woody Fryman combined on an eight-hitter in leading the Montreal Expos past the Houston Astros 2-0. Al Oliver capped the Expos' two-run sixth with an RBI single. Gullickson, 3-3. struck out three, walked three and scattered seven hits before yielding to Fryman with no one ont in the ninth. Boh Knepper, 2-5, was

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#### Hunt strikes twice to swell Cosmos' lead

NEW YORK, May 25 (AP) - Steve Hunt quickly made his mark with the Cosmos upon returning from England by scoring two goals, including the game winner, to lead the Cosmos to their ninth win of the North American Soccer League season.

The 3-2 victory Sunday over the Fort Lauderdale Strikers gave the New York team a 9-2 record and 77 points — a 21-point bulge over second placed Tornto in the East-

Giorgio Chinaglia, the NASL's leading scorer, scored 'the Cosmos' first goal early in the first half. Earlier in the week, the Italyborn star scored two goals to pace the Cosmos to a 3-2 triumpb over the Portland Timbers, Scotland's John Bain had both Timber goals. Elsewhere, the Strikers remained atop the Southern Division, 21 points ahead of Tulsa. The San Diego Sockers held a 1-point lead over San Jose in the Western Oivision.

The Strikers, who had won seven of their first nine games, lost both their contests last week, In addition to their loss to the Cosmos. they dropped a 2-1 shootout decision to Edmonton. Holzenbein scored their only

goal. South African Neil Roberts scored the shootout winner for the Drillers.

The Sockers, who opened the season with four straight victories, have now lost three in-a-row. Their latest defeat was a 2-0 sbutout at the hands of Montreal Saturday night. Nigerian Thompson Usiyan and England's Alan Willey scored the Montreal goals.

#### Reardon sends Higgins reeling

The San Jose Earthquakes are eballenging

WALES, May 25 (AFP) - World snooker champion Alex Higgins was sent reeling out of the 10,000-pounds sterling Pontine Professional tournament' here Monday night when Ray Reardon of Wales took the first six frames in a firstround match.

At one point Higgins was so nervous that be even missed his chair as he was about to sit down and landed on the floor.

tage of three Chicago errors to hetp undefeated Tim Lollar record his fifth victory with an 8-2 triumph over the Cubs.

Lollar went the first seven innings, giving up seven hits and hlanking the Cubs through

Ruppert Jones went 3-for-3 with three RBI, and the San Diego Padres took advan-

six. Dan Boone took over after the 26-yearold left-hander gave up a pair of runs in the seventh on two singles and two wild pitches. Cubs first baseman Bill Buckner was lifted

from the lineup by manager Lee Elia after he bad to be restrained by teammates from going after another Cubs player in front of the Chicago dugout in the middle of the sixth

Joaquim Andnjar pitched his second shut-out of the season with a six-hitter, and Willie McGee led the St. Louis bitting attack as the Cardinals beat the San Francisco Giants 6-0. Andujar. 4-3, allowed nothing but singles, struck out five and walked none in handing the Giants their fifth sbutout of the season. McGee drove in three runs with a basesloaded triple in the fourth when St. Louis added five runs off Giants starter Rieb Gale,

Lee Lacy scored a two-out, two-run double to break a 2-2 tie and highlight a six-run seventh inning that powered the Pittsburgb Pirates to a 9-3 rout of the Los Angeles Dodgers. Unbeaten Don Robinson 5-0, effectively scattered 10 hits to become the first Pirate to burl a complete game this season. The Pittsburgh right-hander fanned five and

walked three. Tom Niedenfuer, 1-2, who look over for starter Dave Stewart, was the loser, Niedenfuer entered the seventh inning with a 0.82 earned run average, but by the time he left, it was 4.63. Terry Forster and Alejandro Pena were also called noon in the seventh as the Pirates paraded 11 batters to the plate, eight

of them reaching base.

the Sockers' Division lead. They romped over the Tampa Bay Rowdies 6-2 Saturday night, with Englishman Chris Dangerfield netting two goals. The Toronto Blizzard split a pair of games with Division rival Chicago. On Thursday night, goalie Jan Moller, a former member of

the Swedish national team and recently with Bristol City of England, shutout the Sting 2-0. Argentine Juan Carlos and Northern Ireland' Jimmy Nicholl scored the Toronto On Saturday, West German Arno Stef-fenhagen scored three goals to lead the Sting to a 3-1 win over the Blizzard. South African

ace Ntsoelengoe had the only Blizzard goal. The Tulsa Roughnecks, led by England's Laurie Abrahams' two goals, beat the Jacksonville Tea Men 3-0 Saturday. The Tampa Bay Rowdies, in addition to their 6-2 loss to San Jose, dropped a 2-0 decision to Jacksonville. Both goals were scored by Argentine

Richardo Alonso. The NASL's Trans Atlantic Challenge Cup opens Wednesday with Napoli of Italy meeting the Cosmo.



#### England begins rugby tour on impressive note

TORONTO, May 25 (AFP) - England began an eight-game Rugby Union tour of North America on Monday, thrashing Canada East 52-3 at Varsity Stadium bere.

The visitors overwhelmed the Canadians before a crowd of 4,000. While the host team held the score down to 10-3 until late in the first half, they eventually succumbed to England's vastly superior attack.

England's forwards accounted for five of the squad's nine tries, while Canada's only point came from a penalty goal by fullback Marc Neim, after England bad scored an early four-point try. Center Clive Woodward scored two tries for England and fullback Nick Stringer kicked two penalties and five

Meanwhile, Great Britain's Rugby League selectors bave named a squad of 31 players to train together during the summer in preparation for the three Test matches against Australia next autumn.

The squad: Fullbacks: Mick Burke (Widnes), and George Fairbairn (Hull Kingston Rovers). Wingmen: Dave Basnett (Widnes), Des Orummond (Leigh), Henderson Gill (Wigan) and Paul Prenlivivge (Hull).

Centers and stand-on halves: Steve Evans (Hull) Eric Hughes (Widnes), John Joyner (Castle Ford), Mike Smith (Hull KR), Dave Stephenson (Wigan). David Topliss (Hull) and Jon Woods (Leigb), Scrum halves: Kevin Oick (Leeds), Andy

Gregory (Widnes) and Steve Nash (Salford). Prop forwards: Jeff Grayshon (Bradford N). Mike O'Neill (Widnes), Trevor Skerrett (Hull) and Jon-Wood (Fulbam)

Hookers: Ray Tabern (Leigh), Oavid Ward (Leeds) and Oavid Watkinson (Hull KR), Back-row / forwards: Mick Adams (Widnes). Les Gorley (Widnes), Steve Norton (Hull), Ian Poter (Leigh), Alan Rathbone (Bradford N), Peter Smith (Featherstone Rovers) Gary Ven Bellen (Bradford N) and Kevin Ward (Castleford).

#### Brearley's bright knock sees Middlesex through the man he took over from against Australia

LONDON May 25 (AP) — Former England cricket captain Mike Brearley completed a brilliant 70 Monday to help steer Middlesex to a four-wicket triumph over Gloucestershire in the Benson and Hedges Cup Cricket competition at Bristot.

Brearley was run out by a brilliant return from Phil Bambridge at cover, but Middlesex scored the 150 runs needed for victory within

John Emburey contributed 44 not out and Phil Edmonds made 36 after Middlesex resumed at 77 for one, chasing a victory target of 227.

Sussex beat Surrey by three wickets and 10 balls to spare Ian Gould started the Sussex recovery with a fighting 56 and Paul Phillipson (66 not out) and South African Garth Le Roux (37 not out) carried on the good work. At Bristol: Gloucestershire 226-3. Middlesex 229-6 (Mike Brearley 70).

At The Oval: Surrey 231. Sussex 235-7 (lan Gould 56, Paul Phillipson 66 not out). Later, Brearley, England's ex-captain said that be was surprised the job of leading the Test side against India had gone to fast bowler Boh Willis.

"Willis was a good vice captain, while David Gower would have been a houer appointment," said the Middlesex skipper who is likely to leave first class cricket at the end of this season.

Brearley ruled out Somerset's Ian Botham.

lasi summer, as a likely future captain.

#### Potter slams ton

Laurie Potter, a powerful 19-year-old batsman, emerged on Monday as an English name to note in the future. Potter followed up his 96 on Saturday with 118 for Kent against the Indian tourists at Canterbury.

Sadly the effort was in vain since Kent's acting captain. Chris Tavare, set the tourists an almost impossible target of 269 in 120 minutes and the contest ended half-an-hour early with no chance of a result. The Indians were 68 for three.

It was a dull end to a day that was maryellously entertaining before lunch when Potter completely outscored his partner. Neil Taylor, 18 in a opening partnership of 124.

Potter, who has the rare distinction of playing for both the young Australian and English teams, slammed 14 fours and two sixes and his innings was the backbone of Kent's 248 for four.

Mark Benson (41) and Alan Ealham (31) were the other Kent batsmen to shine, while Dilip Doshi and Ravi Shastri took two wickets à piece.

Brief scores: Keni 302 for 7 decl. and 248 for 4 decl. (L. Potter 118, M. Benson 41 not out, A. Ealham 31; Doshi 2 for 110. Shastri 2 for 164) vs Indians 282 for three decl. and 68 for three (S. Nayak not out 37).

#### Athletes call for better judges

ROME. May 25 (AFP) — The Athletes Olympic Committee, holding its first meeting here Monday called for competent and neutral officials to judge future Olympic

England's record breaking middledistance runner Sebastian Coe, a leading light in the formation of the committee, said: Judges should be neutral and independent." Others said the officials should be of the highest caliber possible and should use the most modern methods of assessment of per-

Appeal juries, it was agreed, ought to take their time to deliberate before reaching their decision. The athletes also agreed they sbould take more interest themselves in the question of refereeing and that athletes reaching the end of their careers should think of hecoming judges, "In that way we will become our own judges," West German fencer Thomas Bacb said.

Committee members decided to oppose the dispersal of Olympic competitors into several different villages. But they gave their backing to the introduction of a superheavyweight class in boxing and the estahlishment of a minimum age limit, though they did not specify what the minimum age should be. The next meeting will be in Lausanne, Switzerland, on November 25 and

Athletes selected for the 1984 Olympic Games will receive a personal letter from the president of the International Olympic

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Committee (IOC) warning them about the dangers of doping.

Prince Alexander de Merode, chairman of the IOC's medical committee said that each arblete would get the letter when they arrive at the site of the games. It was part of an educational program designed to prevent competitors seeking to improve their performance by taking unapproved stimulant drugs. Other measures will include an audio-visual presentation, he said.

The medical committee has also outlined the enforcement methods which will be used to prevent doping at the Winter Games in Sarajevo and the summer Games in Los

Dope-checks procedures will be similar to those used at the 1980 Moscow Olympics. except that they will be carried out by international medical and laboratory teams instead of by teams from the host country, as at Moscow,

The prince said his committee had reached agreement with the International Athletics Federation on punishments for people convicted of using or administering drugs. Coaches and doctors could face a suspension of from 18 months to life and their national sports federation could be suspended in its entirety from international events. A minimum suspension of 18 months is

maintained for athletes, though the International Athletics Federation normally disqualifies guilty atheletes for life.

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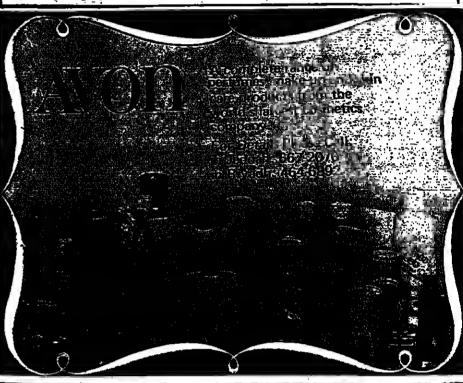
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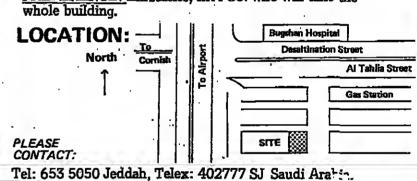


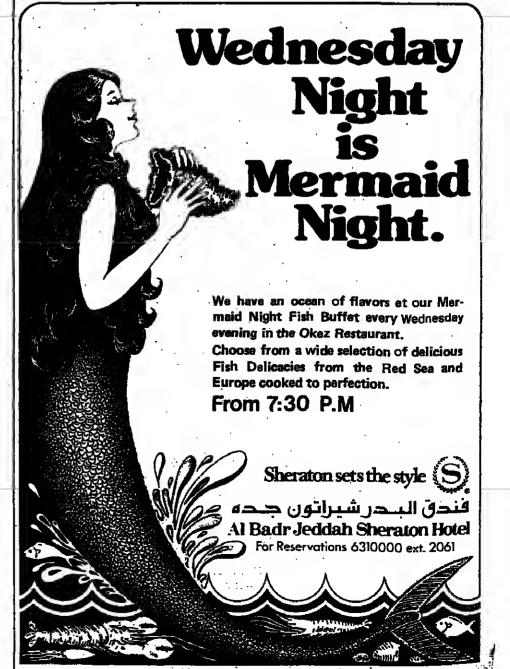
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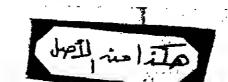
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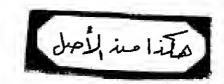
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(Mar. 21 to Apr. 19)
You is have your hands rull with domestic matters now A sensitive family member needs to be handled with tact

and gentleness. TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Slips of the toogue are possi-

ble now. Avoid errors in judgment and carelessness on the job. Don't take thin is so personaliv. GEMINI May 21 to June 291

(July 23 to Aug. 22) II. Hurt feelings may cause you to keep your own counsel,

higher-ups.

THEY'RE EMBARRASSING TO YOU AND TO YOUR OPPONENT.

A ticklish situation regar-

ding money could embarrass

you and a friend. To avoid

overspending, put off shop-ping for a little while.

(June 21 to July 22)

It will be difficult to get your

own way. A confusing work situation may diminish self-

confidence. Be tactful with

Your mind may be working overtime, but insights are few and far between.

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(Aug. 23 to Sept. 22) It's wise not to take others into your confidence with regard to career developments, Friends and money do not mix favorably.

(Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Though your business life is active, little is accomplished. It's a poor time to finalize agreements or seek constructive advice.

(Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) SCORPIO . A co-worker is not in the mood for criticism or rebuffs. You'll have to act carefully now, so as not to upset the feelings of others.

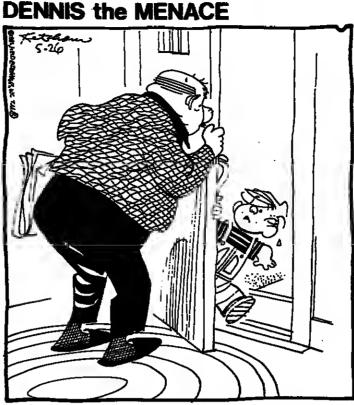
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) spending.

The pursuit of pleasure could cause you to overextend credit. Be leery of financial propositions voiced today, especially by friends.
CAPRICORN

(Dec. 22 to Jan. 19) Undoubtedly, you and a lov-ed one would like to enjoy a good time together, but you're liable to run into difficulties, if celebrating.

(Jan. 20 to Feb. 18) Distractions interfere with work accomplishment now. Avoid daydreaming and be careful of what you say to sensitive co-workers.

(Feb. 19 to Mar. 20)
You're hable to waste time today. today, or a planned gettogether may not meet advance expectations Curb



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#### Contract : Bridge

Famous Hand West dealer.

Neither side vulnerable. NORTH

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WEST **♠**J96 **♠**Q 2 ♥QJ54 0 A Q 8 4 3 2 **◊** J 9 7 **4**10.75

**♣**J9864 SOUTH **◆**K 8 5 VAK873 OK 10

🕈 A 32 The bidding:

West North East South **Pass** Pass 4 ○ 4 ♡ Opening lead - seven of diamonds.

This deal occurred during the 1979 world championship in the U.S.-Australia match. The American East at the first table opened four diamonds, over which the Australian South (Andrew Reiner) bid four hearts.

West led a diamond to the ace and East returned a diamond to declarer's king. The contract seemed easy to make, but, when South played the ace of trumps and East showed out, Reiner realized he had a tough battle ahead. Undaunted, he cashed the K-Q of

clubs, king of spades, ace of clubs and ace of spades, then exited with a spade to West's jack, producing this position:

North **1**0 ♥1096

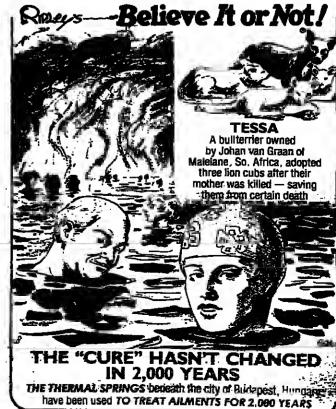
East West ♥QJ5 **Immaterial** 

South VK873 West did as well as he could

by returning the jack of diamonds. However, Reiner ruffed in his hand with the three, returned the seven of trumps, and thus lost only one trump trick to bring home the contract.

At the second table, the U.S. South also got to four hearts. Again came a diamond to the ace, a diamond to the king, and the ace of hearts. But here the declarer cashed the king of clubs, played the queen of clubs, overtook it with the ace, ruffed a club in dummy, led the ten of trumps and followed low.

West won with the jack and returned the nine of spades. Declarer covered with dummy's ten, won East's queen with the king, led the eight of spades and finessed, thus also making the contract. So the deal proved to be a washout and also proved that there's more than one way to skin a cat.





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resume the strategic cooperation agreement

suspended in December. It wasn't clear

whether the decision would be announced

officially. Such an announcement might be

beld up until President Ronald Reagan meets

with Israeli Prime Minister Menahem Begin

State Department officials have said in

recent days that the administration is

attempting to clear up loose ends in the U.S. Israeli relationship in preparation for a renewed drive to achieve a lasting Middle

East peace. One of those loose ends is the

strategic cooperation agreement, which the administration suspended to show its disap-

proval of Israel's annexation of the Golan

U.S. officials feel the long-run outlook for peace in the Mideast is hest served by maintaining food relations with Iracl: The strategic cooperation agreement provides for joint naval exercises and stationing some

non-lethal U.S. military equipment on Israeli soil. However, it could also serve as the start-

ing point for more extensive military cooper-

Also, Sharon was expected in the meetings to voice Israel's objections to U.S. plans to

The Reagan-Begin meeting next month is

considered an important step in resuming negotiations on Palestinian autonomy for the

1.3 million Palestinians on the Israeli-

and the United States, are bogged down over

Israel's demand that Jerusalem he a meeting

site despite Egyptian opposition. However,

some officials view that dispute as a smokes-

creen, hiding the fact that neither Egypt nor

Israel wants to resume the negotiations just

"I suspect that when there is a consensus to

move ahead, it will not be a major obstacle," said a U.S. official of the Jerusalem issue.

They can always find a way around it,"

Soviet craft joins

MOSCOW, May 25 (AP) - An unman-

ned cargo ship docked Tuesday with the

orbiting Salyut -7 space station, bringing fuel

and other supplies to two Soviet cosmonants

in the 13th day of their research mission, Tass

Progress -13 spacecraft docked at 1157 Moscow time (0757 GMT) with the orbiting

complex comprising Salyut -7 and the Soyuz

T-5 space vehicle that carried the cos-

monauts into space nearly two weeks ago.

linking of the spacecraft were carried ont on

commands from mission control center and

with the help of on-board automatic sys-

Cosmonants Anatoly Berezovoy and Val-

entine Lebedev "controlled" the docking and

link-up of the cargo ship with the station on

the side of the service module, the report

said. Progress -13 delivered fuel for the sta-

tion, research and life-support equipment,

apparatuses and materials and mail, Tass

It added that on-board systems for scien-

tific research were functioning normally and

the cosmonauts were feeling fine.

"Mutual search approach, docking and

The official Soviet news agency said the

Salvut in orbit

added the official.

tems," Tass said.

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Brezhnev willing to meet

### Reagan soft-pedals friction with Soviets

WASHINGTON, May 25 (AP) — U.S. President Ronald Reagan has decided to soft-pedal his "adversary relationship" with the Soviet Union while pushing for a treaty to curb strategic nuclear weapons.

Reagan is playing down differences with Moscow over the martial law crackdown in Poland and the Soviet Army's conflict with tribesmen in Afgbanistan. He considers his proposed treaty ton important to link the outcome to Soviet concessions on "some of the friction points' between the two powers.

Reagan indicated Monday he is prepared to practice quiet diplomacy with Soviet Presidenr Leonid I. Brezhnev whenever they hold a summit or when the two sides get rngether at the negotiating table. In "headline and hlatantly advertise that you are going to go there and demand this or that" might foreclose progress on divisive issues, Reagan told

Basically, the primary problem today is reducing the store of nuclear arms that

#### S. Africa denies missile deal with Argentina

CAPE TOWN, South Africa-May 25 (AP) - Defense Minister Magnus Malan bas denied press reports that South Africa is selling missiles and jet fighter spare parts to Argentina for use against the British in the battle for the Falkland Islands.

"As a result of speculation...and hecause we are being drawn into a conflict, I want to say that South Africa has not supplied or sold Argentina any missiles or any Mirage (jet fighter) spare parts before or since the Falk-lands dispute," Malan said in a special statement to parliament.

Argentina also has denied the reports, which were published Monday in the Johan nesburg Star and other newspapers and attributed to usually reliable sources. The Star said the weapons included radar-guided Gahriel surface-to-surface missiles and were being transported ahoard Urguayan cargo planes in crates marked "tractor spares."

The Foreign Ministry declined at first to confirm or deny the stories, in keeping with government policy against commenting on such reports. But Malan told parliament Monday night that he felt this once-only deviation from the policy could he justified.

He told the lawmakers that South Africa was not selling weapons or parts to Argentina and also had not sold ro a South American country or any other possible intermediary for the Argentines since the Falklands crisis

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threaten the peace of mind, certainly, of all the people of the world, and do pose a threat to all of us physically," Reagan said.

His stance was in contrast to the strong anti-Soviet rhetoric that marked his presidential campaigns and early months in the White House. Now Reagan is speaking of "a very realistic relationship" with the Soviets—not ignoring what he termed their "policy of expansionism" hut "trying to improve the

chances for peace in the world."

Clearly, that for Reagan means maying ahead with the treaty he proposed to Brezhnev in a letter May 7 and then outlined at a speech in Eureka College, Illinnis. It would sharply reduce U.S. and Snviet strategic weapons, beginning with a one-third cuthack in missile warheads to equal levels of 5,000 each. Reagan called for talks to begin by late

In a reply, Reagan said Brezhnev "expressed his willingness to meet."

A Reagan administration official said that word may come with Ambassador Anatoly F. Dobrynin's return from Moscow in the next day or so. Brezhnev's letter also contained "some hints" that final arrangements might be worked out next month between Secretary of State Alexander Haig and Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko. Haig and Gromyko intend to meet in New York while attending the United Nations disarmament conference. On Sunday Haig said a date for the negotiations could be set soon.

In the letter, the official said, Brezhnev renewed his proposal for a freeze on nuclear weapons in Europe. The Reagan administration has already rejected the proposal as one-sided. The United States says the Soviets have an estimated 300 medium-range SS-20 missiles targeted on Western Europe. To counter them, 572 new U.S. missiles are scheduled to be deployed beginning next

#### 15 die, 7 missing in French arson

AIRE-SUR-L'ADOUR, France, May 25 (AP) - A fire that officials say may have heen set deliherately swept through a medical-educational center for mentally retarded youths Tuesday killing at least 15 and leaving seven missing.

The latest casualty figures given by a

spokesman for the prefecture, the local government hody, said eight persons were listed as injured, suffering from burns.

Police said arson was suspected hecause the fire appeared to have broken out simultaneously in several third-flour roums of the center, which has 80 pupils, aged 14 to 20.

#### W. Berliners denounce U.S. president

BERLIN, May 25 (AP) — Police have filed at least 15 slander charges in an effort to counter what officials fear is an organized campaign to drum up public opposi-tion to next month's visit by President

Ronald Reagan. A police spokesman told reporters that more and more banners and slogans were appearing on apartment houses, walls and other public places denouncing the American president. He said the increasing number of such banners and graffiti slogans appears to indicate that a "radical minority wants to create disorder at the

visit," scheduled for June 11. Banners include such slogans as: Reagan Specialists - Murderers and Fascists" and "Reagan, we will Receive you with Fire and Flames."

The American president is expected to pay a hrief visit to the western half of the divided city at the end of a three-day visit to West Germany in connection with a NATO summit conference.

Reagan is bighly unpopular among young, left wing Germans for what they perceive as his support of such policies as modernizing NATO missiles in Europe. high interest rates, confrontations with Moscow and hacking right wing dictatorships in Latin America.

#### Guatemala junta decrees amnesty

GUATEMALA CITY, May 25 (R) — Guatemala's military junta decreed a month-long amnesty both for leftist guerrillas and for memhers of the security forces who had committed crimes during "anti-subversive operations". Guerrillas participaring in the program will have to surrender to military authorities in June, according to the official gazette.

After turning in their weapons and fors-wearing further insurgent activity, the guer-rillas will be exonerated. There was no immediate reaction from the guerrillas, whose four main groups joined forces in Feb-

Monday's amnesty also covers government troops and policemen, constitu official acknowledgement that troops and police had committed crimes in their

Human rights groups hlame most of the political killings in Guatemala on security forces or shadowy right-wing groups linked to the military. But Guatemalan authorities have insisted that the victims - about 3,500 last year according to the rights groups — were killed by guerrillas and unidentified

#### Fire on U.K. warships may lead to new design

LONDON, May 25 (AFP) — All three British warships sunk during the Falkland Islands war died a fiery death. The Sheffield, the Ardent — a name of ill-omen — and the Antelope all blazed out of control after being

hit hy missiles or bombs.

The fierce fires which defied trained firefighting reams will undoubtedly lead to design changes in the next generation of warships. The fires are being hlamed on the extensive use of aluminium alloy in the superstructure of modern warships to improve sta-



### U.S. may assure Israel of military cooperation

WASHINGTON, May 25 (AP) — Israeli Defense Minister Ariel Sharon was likely to come away from high-level meetings with the American government Tuesday with assurances that the United States is ready to resume a military cooperation agreement, U.S. officials say

Sharon, in Washington on a private visit, was scheduled to meet separately with Defense Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger and Secretary of State Alexander Haig. One State Department official said Sharon

#### likely would be told of the U.S. intention to Zhao visit to cement Japan links

PEKING, May 25 (AFP) — Communist Chinese Premier Zhao Ziyang's five-day visit to Japan next week heralds a strengthening of political cooperation between Peking and its main trading partner, analysts said here. Zhao's tour, coupled with Japanese Prime Minister Zenko Suzuki's scheduled visit ro China in September, will highlight celebrations marking the 10th anniversary of the 1972 Sino-Japanese normalization.

Japan has suggested that Zhao's talks in Tokyo would focus on major international issues such as Sino-American and Sino-Soviet relations, and the Versailles summit of leading industrialized nations early next

In this connection, analysts pointed to growing Sino-Japanese cooperation on various world issues:

Japan has clearly voiced its concern over the risk of a downgrading of Sino-American relations as a result of Peking's dispute with Washington over U.S. arms sales to Nationalist China (Taiwan). Zhao's talks in Tokyo will he all the more significant since they come close on the heels of U.S. Vice President George Bush's visit to Peking, which may have paved the way for a solution.

Tokyo appears to he playing a mediating role between China and the non-Communist Association of Southeast Asian nations sagree over the terms for formation of an anti-Vietnamese coalition of the three Camhodian resistance groups.

Observers note that Zhao's visit follows a recent trip to Tokyo by Cambodian resistance leader Son Sann. Son Sann, leader of the anti-Communist backed Khmer Rouge government, disagree over power sharing in the proposed coalition.

Japanese leaders also expect to exchange views with Zhao on the Versailles summit, Japanese sources said. China is showing "interest" in the summit in the context of its development drive, for which it seeks help from leading industrialized countries, mainly Japan. Zhao is also expected to use the visit to give a new impetus to hilateral relations, including economic ties.

One subject of special significance to Tokyo thar will he raised, according to Japanese sources, is the reunion of Japanese families separated during the confusion that surrounded the collapse of the Japanese Army in China at the end of World War II.

Tens of thousands of Japanese children are thought to have been abandoned in this way. chiefly in the former state of Manchukuo in northeastern China, then under Japanese imperial rule. Approximately 100 of them have been repatriated so far.

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waiting waiting... What experts say is that all this waiting taxes one's nerves. They obviously haven't been to our places, where waiting does no such things to the nerves: it merely destroys them.

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Translated from Asharq Al -Awsat

#### Egypt to support Africa liberators

CAIRO, May 25 (AP) — Egypt continues to support African liberation movements and will give them military and financial assis-tance until they gain freedom and independence, an Egyptian official said Tuesday in a speech given on behalf of President Hosni Muharak.

The speech was given by Foreign Ministry Undersecretary Omran El-Shafe at the Nanonal Democratic Party headquarters on the occasion of Africa Day, which marks the 19th anniversary of the establishment of the Organization of African Unity. A text of the speech, carried by the go

ernment news agency, did not say what "lib-eration movements" Egypt was hacking. Egypt at one time was supporting Chadian rebel leader Hissene Hahre, hut officials have said this aid has halted. Egypt has not taken a high profile in African affairs since the days of the late President Gamal Abdel Nasser, who dispatched troops to the Congo in the early 1960s. The speech praised the role of the OAU

peacekeeping force in Chad, which replaced withdrawing Libyan troops last year.

#### Greece OKs Spain bid

ATHENS, May 25 (R) — The Greek par-liament early Tuesday ratified an agreement for Spain's admission in the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO). The vote followed a hrief dehate in the 300-seat bouse in which the Socialist government of Prime Minister Andreas Papandreou bas a comfortable majority of 172 seats.

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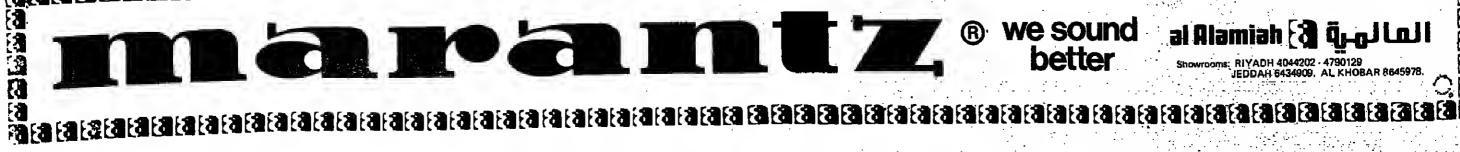
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